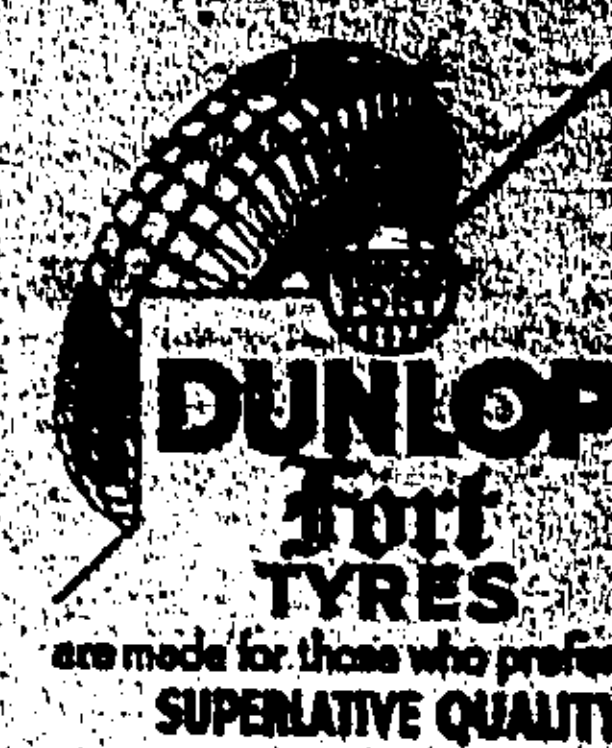


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Shatin Dep.	6.45	8.35	8.57	9.28	9.38	10.32	11.40	12.38	1.40	2.40	4.55
Tai Po Market Dep.	6.59	8.49	9.11	9.42	9.52	10.40	11.48	12.46	1.48	2.48	5.09
Tai Po Market Arr.	7.04	8.54	9.16	9.47	9.57	10.45	11.53	12.51	1.53	2.53	5.14
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Yau Ma Tei Dep.	8.14	10.14	10.36	10.67	10.77	12.05	13.13	2.11	3.13	4.13	5.29
Tai Po Market Dep.	8.28	10.28	10.50	11.21	11.31	12.19	13.27	2.25	3.27	4.27	5.43
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Shatin Arr.	8.45	10.45	11.07	11.38	11.48	12.36	13.44	2.42	3.44	4.44	5.60
Yau Ma Tei Arr.	8.50	10.50	11.12	11.43	11.53	12.41	13.49	2.47	3.49	4.49	5.65
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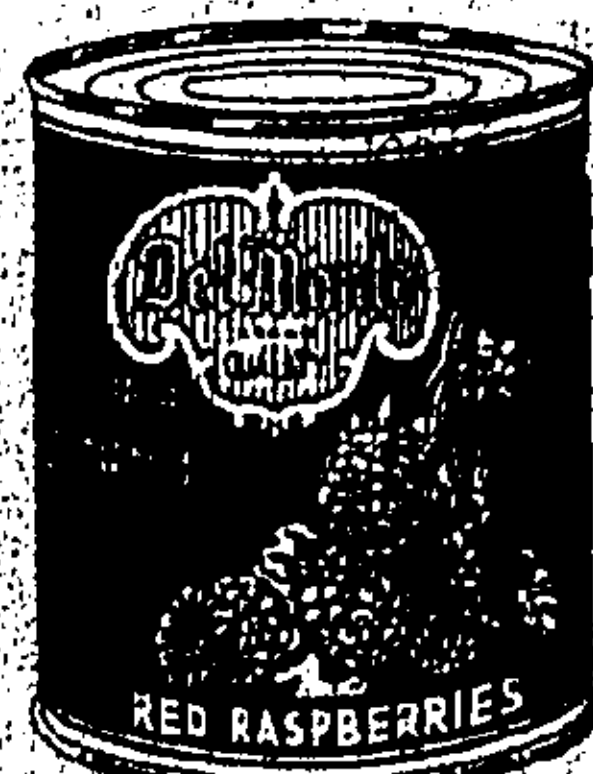
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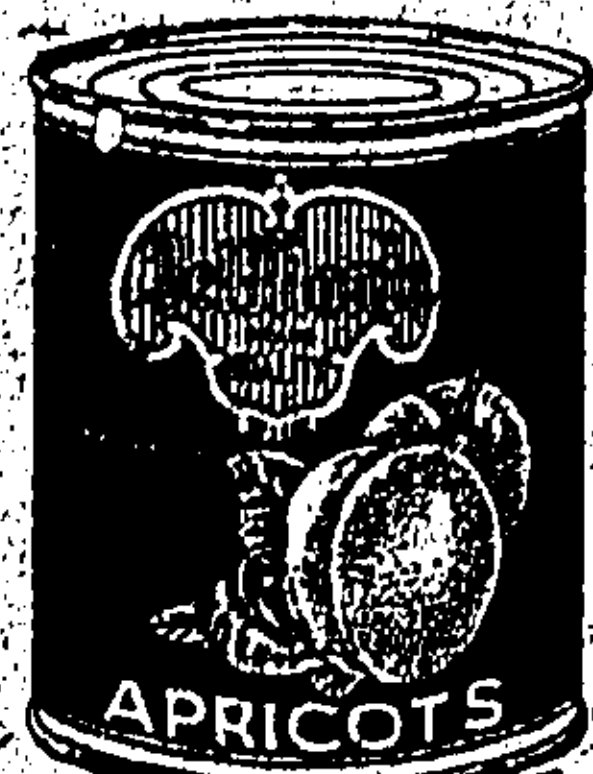
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MR. ROOSEVELT'S VIEWS ON CRISIS IN AMERICA

MAY ASK CONGRESS FOR EXECUTIVE POWER

TO WAGE WAR AGAINST EMERGENCY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

WASHINGTON, March 4.
ENORMOUS crowds watched Mr. Hoover's and Mr. Roosevelt's procession from the White House to the Capitol. Their motor-cars were escorted by cavalry.

After Mr. Hoover had signed legislation which was passed during the closing hours of Congress, Mr. Roosevelt stepped out on the platform. He was uproariously welcomed by the crowd. He then took the Oath adding, "So Help Me God."

A declaration that he will ask war-time powers if necessary to meet the National emergency, was made by Pres. Roosevelt in his inaugural speech. He asserted his firm belief that the only thing the United States had to fear was fear of itself—the unreasonable and unjustified terror which paralyses all efforts to convert defeat into advance.

Referring to the shrinkage in values, the rise in taxes, unemployment and the lack of markets, he said it would be foolish optimism to deny the dark realities of the moment.

TRUTH MUST BE STATED FRANKLY AND BOLDLY

The time had come to state the whole truth, frankly and boldly, and not to shrink from facing the country's conditions.

The greatest primary task of putting people to work could partly be accomplished by direct recruiting by the Government itself, treating the task as it would treat an emergency of war and by reorganising natural resources. Simultaneously, it must endeavour to provide a better use for land by efforts to raise the values in agricultural products, thus increasing the power to purchase the output of cities and industrial centres.

Provision for Sound Currency.

Strict supervision of banking and credits and investments to put an end to speculation with other people's money and provision for an adequate sound currency, are all requisite in progress toward the resumption of work.

He will recommend to a special session of the new Congress detailed measures on these lines.

He will spare no effort to restore world-trade by international economic re-adjustment, but the emergency at home could not wait on that accomplishment.

Action Must Not be Delayed.

Possibly the unprecedented demand and need of undelayed action might call for a temporary departure from the normal balance of public procedure. He is prepared to recommend measures that a stricken nation, amid a stricken world, might require and he will seek within his constitutional authority to bring about the speedy adoption of such measures.

"I SHALL NOT EVADE MY DUTY"

"But if Congress fails to take one of these courses, and in the event of national emergency being still critical, I shall not evade the clear sense of duty which will then confront me. I shall ask Congress for the one remaining instrument with which to meet the crisis—executive power to wage war against emergency—power as great as could be given me if we, in fact, were invaded by a foreign foe."

STRICT PRECAUTIONS

At the White House, March 4, strict precautions for the inauguration of Pres. Roosevelt

were taken, detectives mingled with the crowds and the public was not allowed on roof tops along the Presidential route, while the credentials of all claimants of seats near the Official Stand were most closely scrutinised.

Troops and police were posted at all strategic points.

No Fear of Assassination.

WASHINGTON, March 4.
Dismissing the possible danger of assassination, Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States, for the next four years, reviewed the Inauguration Parade from the steps of the Capitol, yesterday. He declined the proposal to watch the spectacle from behind bullet-proof glass panes.

Extra Congress Session.

WASHINGTON, March 4.
An extra session of Congress will be called at the earliest possible moment, to deal with the banking developments.

It is predicted that Mr. Henry H. Rainey, of Illinois, will be the next speaker.

Hoover's Last Official Act.

WASHINGTON, March 4.
Hoover performed probably the last official act of his Presidency by signing the Naval Appropriation Bill, 1933. The bill originally provided \$315,419,000 but was amended by the Senate to \$308,000,000.

IN HONG KONG TODAY

CLOUDY WITH DRIZZLE OR MIST

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.40 A.M. STATED:—
"THE ARTIFICIAL REMAINS TO THE NORTH-WEST OF SHANTUNG, FREEZING MONSOON, WILL PREVAIL OVER THE CHINA COAST AND THE SOUTHERN CHINA SEA."
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NO DANGER OF CONFLICT IN PACIFIC

Japanese View On Far East Situation

IMPORTANCE OF BORNEO OIL STATIONS STRESSED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE HAGUE, March 5.
THERE is no question that Mr. Matsuo, during his forthcoming visit to Holland is negotiating a Japan-Holland non-aggression pact, declared the new Minister Saito when interviewed by Reuter on his arrival here. He said that Matsuo's visit was absolutely unofficial. He will remain a few days before going to London. Referring to the situation in the Pacific, Saito declared there is not a single reason for uneasiness in the Netherlands Indies.

Oil stations in Borneo are undoubtedly of great importance to the Japanese Navy, but only of decisive importance in case of a great Pacific conflict between the United States and Japan. Saito, however, gave the opinion that war between the two countries was impossible.

He emphatically denied the danger of a Pacific conflict which would necessitate Japan taking steps to safeguard her oil supplies, and declared that Japan's policy regarding the Dutch Indies is friendly.

The repair shop of the Eurasia Aviation Corporation at Nanyang will not be removed to Nanking as previously reported, but parts of the shop will be sent to the capital, according to Mr. Yang China, director of the Peking office of the corporation. Mr. Yang says that a radio station is being erected at Tientsin, the capital of Sinkiang and that as soon as the weather gets warmer the air line between Peking and Tientsin will be extended to Tacheng on the Sinkiang-Russian border. One of the two new airmail planes recently ordered by the company from Germany is expected to arrive in Shanghai about the end of this month.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

MONDAY

(March 6)

(II Moon, 11th Day).
Ching-ché (Excited Insects).
Crown Land Sales, P.W.D. offices, 3 p.m.
Meeting of Victoria Diocesan and Missionary Association, Cathedral Hall, 5.15 p.m.

Theatres.

King's: "Sherlock Holmes"
Central: "Blue Danube"
Queen's: "Red-Headed Woman"
Oriental: "Sky Devils"
World: "Beau Hunks"
Taiping: "Bring 'em Back Alive"
Majestic: "Tom Brown of Culver"
Star: "Hell Divers"

Dances.

Tea Dances at Hongkong Hotel, Gloucester Building; King's Restaurant; and Majestic Dancing Academy.
Dinner Dances at Peninsula and Hongkong Hotels; and King's Restaurant.

Sports.

Hockey.—Friendly Matches, Hongkong Hockey Club seconds v. Police (King's Park), 6.15 p.m.
Lawn Tennis.—Open Singles, J. A. E. O'Sullivan v. Yu Tak Cheuk; Open Doubles, D. E. Hazell and W. E. Williams v. H. A. Packer and E. J. Shaw.

Principal Mails.

Inward from America by Pres. Grant; Outward for Europe via Siberia by Nankin 10.30 a.m.; for Australia by Sydney 1.30 p.m.
Sunrise—6.40 a.m.; Sunset—6.39 p.m.
Tides—High at 15.37.
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JOURNEY TO THE ROOF OF THE WORLD

FROM PEIPING TO URUMCHI

(Mr. W. F. Drew describes the remarkable journey of the Rev. G. Hunter and six recruits in two 30-cwt. Ford trucks into Chinese Turkestan (Sinkiang). There were many notable instances of answered prayer.)

On Friday, 9th of September, the two vans with our luggage were taken by rail to Kalgan. Early in the morning many friends gathered on the platform to bid us God-speed, and as we slowly steamed out of the station amidst considerable excitement we felt that at last we were on our way. The rail to Kalgan is remarkable for the beauty of the country through which it runs, one rocky mountain pass in particular, and also as a triumph of the railway engineer.

A happy week-end was spent at Kalgan and on the following Tuesday, Sept. 13, after the purchase of petrol, etc., and the packing of the vans, we set out on our long adventure.

Towards Mongolia.

Formalities with officials over, we passed out of China Proper through the Great Wall by the city gate of Kalgan towards Mongolia. The first day's travelling took us up a rough pass through which there was a tolerable motor road. We were struck by the skill with which the Chinese carters held their animals in as they passed in long file down the rocky path at our side. At the top of the pass we could see the hills rolling away southwards into China, and stretching out before us was the road winding northwards on to the Mongolian plains. On we sped till at nightfall we put up at a Chinese inn. We had passed two other cars, the last two until near our journey's end.

For the next two or three days our way lay across rolling grass-land. We were interested to see how in some places Chinese farmers had settled and cultivated the land. Signs of Chinese settlement were soon left behind, however, and we were introduced to Mongol life. The Mongol folk were as interesting to us as were our motor-cars to them. Their soft, flowing language was beautiful to listen to and the

colourful gowns, silver ornaments and heavy pointed boots of the men, and the jewelled head-dress of the women-folk, quite appealed to us. All of them seemed to be excellent horsemen and care-free and happy, enjoying to the full the freedom of the wide, open spaces. The religion of the Mongols is Tibetan Buddhism (Lamaism). It is usual that one son from each family is set aside for the priesthood. For this reason there are large lamaseries throughout the country where the young men go for training—some never to leave again, but remain as lama (the Buddhist equivalent of monk). Often would we see the white walls of a lamasery gleaming in the sun on the side of a distant hill. In some places they form the centre round which a small business settlement grows up. It was at such a place as this that we were able to buy a little extra petrol. For a day or two it had been evident that our mileage per gallon was far lower than we had planned and bought for.

Rougher Country.

The grassy plains soon gave way to country of a rougher nature. I recall one particularly bad rocky river valley through which we had to pass. Our drivers did admirably in steering us safely through. It was about this time that one car developed a nasty knock. We did not discover what was wrong until the back axle and driving shaft had been taken out. How small a thing it was, repaired with a piece of wire from a broken thermos flask! Thick tufts of grass impeded our progress in many places, and often the cars proceeded at a very slow pace, lurching at all angles like ships at sea. After a tiring day on ground like this it was fine to lie down to sleep snugly tucked up in a sheep-skin bag and protected from the wind in a comfortable little bell tent.

Sand, too, began to give us trouble on this part of the route; many times we have had to push and dig or lay down canvas tracks for the cars to grip on. On one occasion we were speeding along on a firm, dry river bed. Suddenly both cars sank into loose sand. Five and a half hours' digging, pushing and towing rewarded us by seeing the cars safely on firm ground again. There is much wild life in this part of Mongolia. Antelopes and hares were frightened into swift flight by the noise of our approach, and many times we have seen herds of beautiful wild horses with long, flowing manes and tails galloping away from us led by a fine young stallion.

On the Edge of the Gobi.

Eleven days after leaving Kalgan we got on to the edge of the great Gobi Desert. Vegetation became more scanty and we had to carry water for two or three days. Many times we passed the skeletons of camels that had died by the roadside and there was none of the beauty of the ordinary landscape at home. What did appeal to us, however, was the vastness of the scene, the shimmering mirage of trees and lakes on the horizon, the glories of the sunrise and sunset and the expansive night sky. One big range of mountains through which we passed was remarkable for the rock colouring. There was no vegetation, but as we went higher we passed ridges of black, brown, green, mauve and red standing out in bold relief against the perfect blue sky. Sometimes it would seem impossible to find a way through the hills, but as on we sped we would find the camel track winding up an old glacier bed or through a sandy valley. To avoid sand in valleys we sometimes had to climb straight up the face of hills to join the path again after a mile or two. After leaving these mountains the general slope of the Gobi was downwards towards Edingol River district, which we reached very shortly.

At Edingol.

It was found necessary to spend ten days here in the camp of the Sino-Swedish Scientific Expedition, where Dr. Hörner and his colleague Mr. Chen treated us with gracious hospitality. The perfect weather, the cool river in which we bathed, the autumn tinted trees and the high sand dunes helped to make our memories of Edingol among the happiest of the whole journey. More serious matters, however, engaged our attention. One of the most important was the crossing of the four or five rivers in this district, which were abnormally high.

MACAO ELECTRIC COMPANY

LARGE ORDER FOR NEW MATERIAL

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY)

MACAO, Feb. 23.

The Macao Electric Lighting Co. has placed a substantial order for new material and machinery, it was learned to-day, with the General Electric Co. of China, Ltd.

For the accommodation of the new generating units, a new power station is already in course of construction. It has been placed and designed by Messrs. Dorman, Long & Co. of London, by whom all the structural materials have also been supplied.

Among the equipment is a large quantity of British high tension cables, to replace all the overheat high tension lines which have been serving Macao since the company commenced operations some 20 years ago. The extended franchise having a long period still to run, till 1937, the company has found it convenient to make the change over without delay.

INTERNATIONAL FAIR AT LYONS

BIG PREPARATIONS.

The next international fair of Lyons is to be held from the 18th to the 19th of March. It may be recalled that the Lyons Fair is mainly an exhibition of samples and a wholesale market. Special sections are devoted to particular industries such as foodstuffs, refrigerating and heating, agricultural implements, etc.

There will be a newly built hall to shelter the foodstuff industry, the "Palais de l'Alimentation," including 350 stands of 18 square meters each provided with large windows for the display of French and foreign products.

The interest shown last year at the exhibition of urban sanitary devices has induced a technical section which will deal with refrigerating appliances. Lectures together with exhibitions have been planned by several scientific organizations. At last, agricultural implements will find ample space in the Fair of Lyons where it has become customary to transact world wide business in this line.

Dr. Hörner kindly lent us his twenty-five camels to transport our goods across, whilst the two motors went round the smaller of the two lakes into which the streams empty, and were dismantled and towed through the remaining most difficult river by seven camels. When the electrical parts had been refitted to the cars and all our goods loaded ready for the start again we were indeed thankful that all had been brought safely through. We bade farewell to our Mongol guide, who galloped off to join a caravan at the neighbouring business settlement for his home in Eastern Mongolia, and the next day we were speeding westwards, our objective, Hami. The Edingol region was to us a happy, peaceful place. The Mongol queen of the district visited us in camp one day and was obviously delighted as she listened to my gramophone. I do not think she had ever heard "canned music" before. It is hard to judge which she considered most amusing, Dame Clara Butt's deep voice or Kreisler's violin both produced peals of merry laughter.

On the Great Road.

Although only a little over half-way, the most exciting and interesting part of the journey was over. A few more days of Gobi, and we were at the Sinkiang boundary. Sinkiang gave us a cold greeting, for during the first night within its borders the thermometer registered 17 degrees of frost. As we penetrated further into the province we were struck by the beauty and size of Karlik Tagh (snow-capped mountain), which lay off to our right for several days. Soon we caught sight of the telegraph line in the distance marking the Great Road out of China, which we joined and followed into Hami.

We were in Hami for thirteen days—an unforeseen delay. When we were able to start again we were glad to think that soon we should be in Tihsu. About half-way the road took us through the Tien Shan (Celestial Mountains), and after coming out of the pass on to another flat expanse of desert we saw many long camel caravans slowly bearing China-wards the precious merchandise of Turkestan. During the last lap of a hundred miles or so we traversed an area which vividly recalled country I have seen at home of the type found in Essex and Kent—gentle wooded valleys with little streams and pleasant farmlands. Yet all the time, towering high above us to the south was the snow-capped range of Tien Shan to remind us we were in Central Asia.

The arrival. On the morning of the 6th November we drove through the gates of Tihsu. We had completed 1,760 miles in twenty-two travelling days, though we were actually on the road nearly two months—China's distance.

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AIR DEFENCE DAY

The 25th anniversary of the Army Memorial Day on March 10 will be celebrated on a scale befitting the present emergency. Among other things, the Army has a plan to stage air defence exercises on a large scale on the Yoyogi Parade Ground. The air combats will be relayed to the whole country by the Tokyo Broadcasting Station as realistically as possible.

Six hundred estates have been seized and occupied by peasants in Western Spain during the past few weeks, while the government itself has in recent months confiscated more than 1,000 estates because of their owners having participated in the Monarchist uprising in August last year.



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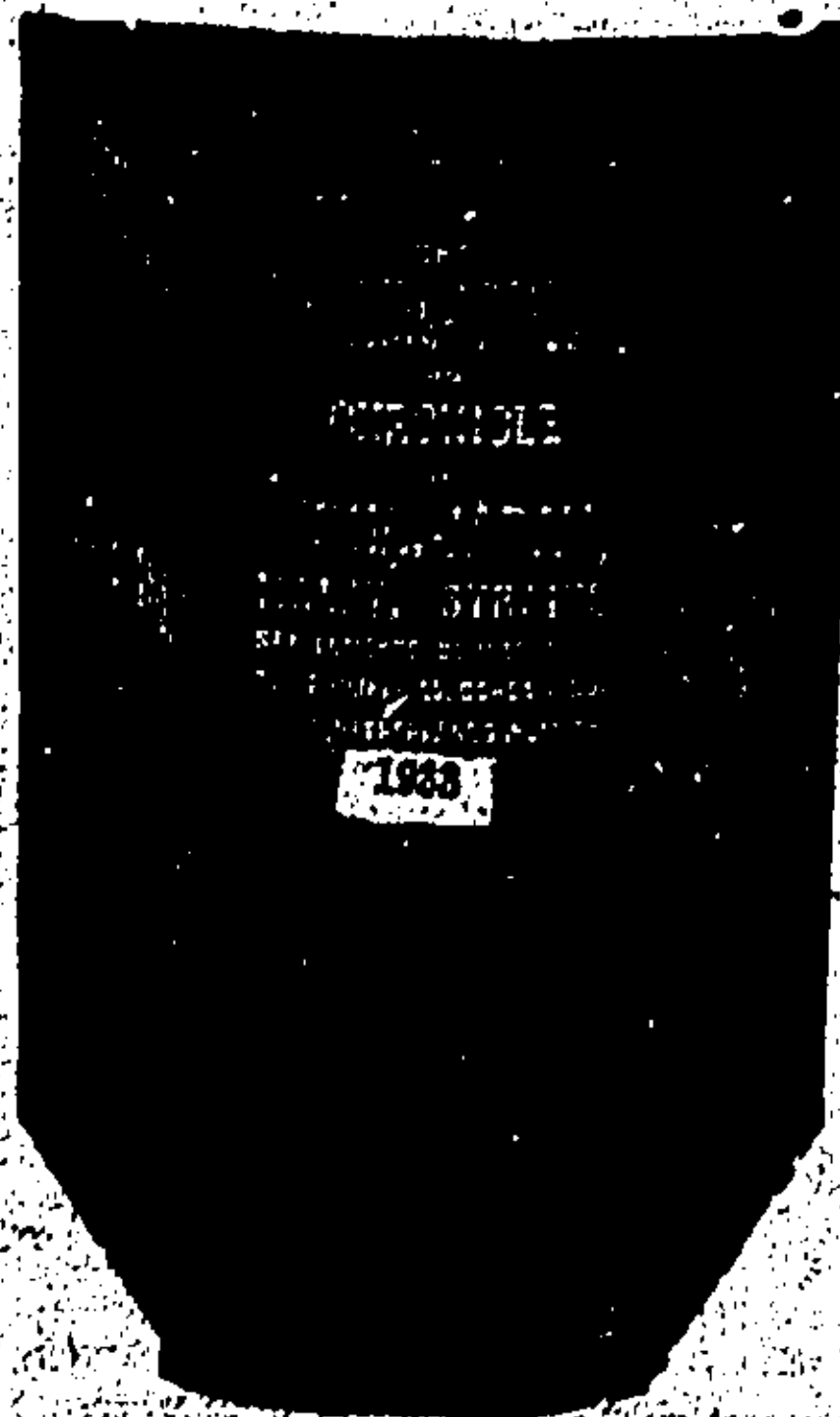
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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

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TUESDAY
(11 Moon 15th Day)
English Association Meeting, Helena May Institute, 5 p.m.; Kowloon Junior School Sports, K.C.C. ground, 10.30 a.m.
Dances.
Tea Dances at King's Restaurant; Hongkong Hotel, Gloucester Building; and Majestic Dancing Academy; Dinner Dances at King's Restaurant; Peninsula and Hongkong Hotels; and Gloucester Building.
Sports.
Lawn Tennis—Open Doubles, S. A. and H. D. Rumlach v. Ng Sze Kwong and Tsui Wai Fui; L. Goldman and E. C. Fincher v. G. Gamble and C. A. Wright.

"BLONDE VENUS"

RE-SHOWING AT KING'S ON THURSDAY
Marlene Dietrich's latest starring picture, "Blonde Venus," which opens at the King's Theatre again, on Thursday.
The picture, directed by Josef von Sternberg, who discovered the glamorous star three years ago, and has been in charge of production of her four previous English-language films, presents her in the role of a woman who, to save her husband's life, accepts the love of another man.
At first, cold-blooded about the proposition, she soon finds she is in love with her benefactor. Her love for her young son, however, binds her to her husband. When her husband discovers the situation, he orders her from their home, and she is compelled to make a decision that leads to a highly dramatic climax.
Herbert Marshall, noted star of the dramatic stage, plays the role of the husband, with Cary Grant, promising young screen player, as the lover. Dickie Moore is the son.

CENTRAL THEATRE

Musical Treat For Patrons
"THE BLUE DANUBE"

The current programme at Central Theatre—"The Blue Danube"—should prove to be a treat to music-lovers and the plot of the story gives Alfred Rode and his Royal Tzigane Band, plenty of scope to give the audience something rare in the way of classical music.
It is not often that such a good band is heard on local screens and those who are fond of good music should not miss this opportunity of hearing the lilting rhythms in "The Blue Danube."
But the band is not the only musical and attractive feature of the picture. The fine singing of Joseph Schildkraut whose powerful voice was a delight to listen to, together with the dancing of Dorothy Bouchier are both worth going a long way to hear and see.
It is a charming story, charming for its simplicity and is eminently (Continued on Previous Column).

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"SHERLOCK HOLMES"

THRILLING PICTURE AT KING'S

"Sherlock Holmes" with Clive Brook in the name part, began yesterday at the King's. It need not have been called Sherlock Holmes, but doubtless that is a box office draw, it is in point of fact just a very good crime adventure story in which I am sure the late Sir Arthur Conan Doyle would have been pleased to see all his favourite character playing a part.
Ernest Torrence plays Moriarty. He gives a human solidarity to a figure, of whom I must confess I

Miriam Jordan



never got anything but a shadowy conception when reading the Sherlock Holmes stories. Torrence's Moriarty is a terrible and forceful figure and certainly one of the best bits of character acting he has done.
Miriam Jordan plays the girl with whom Holmes is in love and plays her very well.
The story is well constructed and well directed. It is interesting, human, and thrilling—what more can you ask? The minor characters are exceptionally good, the publican and his friend the rogues' gallery that Moriarty gathers round him for the plundering of London, the house party and in particular the host, and "Billy," Holmes' young adorer.

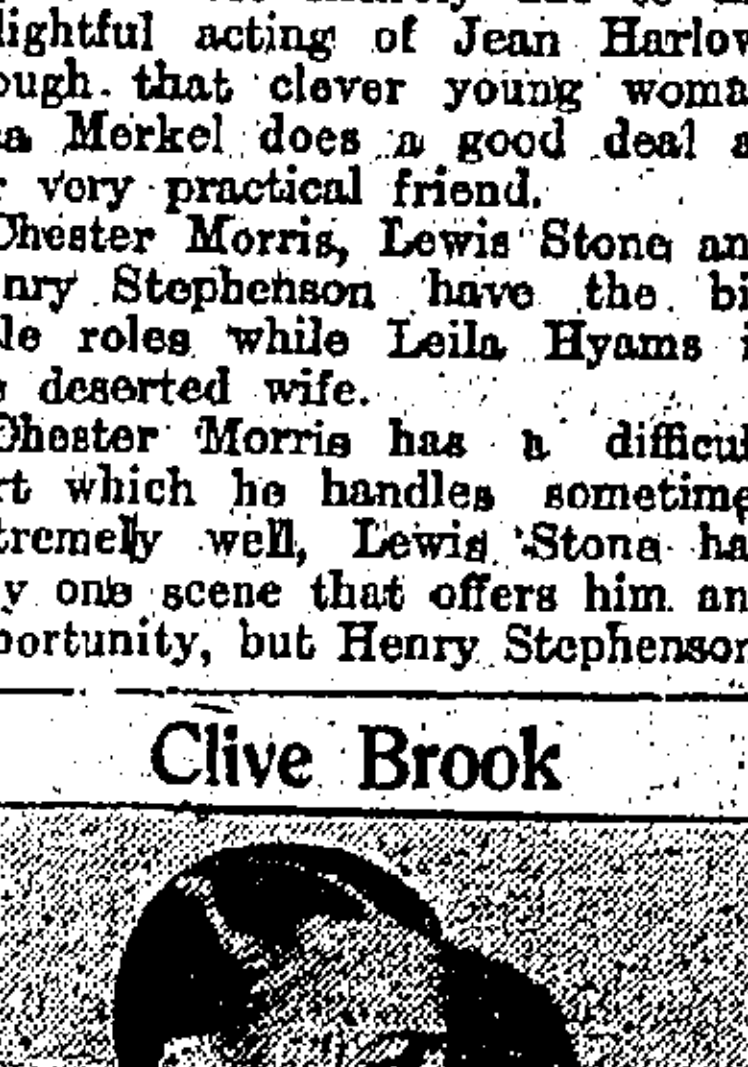
You will, I believe, enjoy every minute of "Sherlock Holmes" and the very interesting news-gazette that prefaces it.

"RED HEADED WOMAN"

LOVE, INTRIGUE AND LAUGHTER AT QUEEN'S

You really ought to go to the Queen's and see "Red Headed Woman."
It is probably one of those pictures which are marked "for adults only" at Home, but there is nothing that need upset you, and, in fact, "Red Headed Woman" is a great deal more decent than a large number of films. One cannot take a very serious view of Lil Andrews' peccadilloes, and one finds much more to laugh over than to be shocked about. Lil as played by Jean Harlow is so ridiculously pretty and self-absorbed that she can only be judged by the standards of a Persian kitten. One feels that had the good people of Renwood taken both themselves and Lil rather less seriously she would not have been able to do nearly as much mischief!
That the whole film—despite the fact that the heroine is a home wrecker—is light-hearted and amusing is almost entirely due to the delightful acting of Jean Harlow, though that clever young woman Una Merkel does a good deal as her very practical friend.
Chester Morris, Lewis Stone and Henry Stephenson have the big male roles while Leila Hyams is the deserted wife.
Chester Morris has a difficult part which he handles sometimes extremely well. Lewis Stone has only one scene that offers him any opportunity, but Henry Stephenson,

Clive Brook



whose acquaintance I was very glad to make, plays the elderly man, who is caught in Lil's toils, with very real skill.
The story can be told in a few words: Lil Andrews, stenographer, determines to marry her wealthy young employer, and manages to

do so after his wife has divorced him on her account. Being refused social recognition in Renwood, Lil ramps an elderly and important personage and succeeds for a very brief hour. She then decides that Gnerste, as the richer man, is better game than her husband, and has him eloping from her hand with another divorce in the offing, when he discovers that she is having an affair with his chauffeur, Albert, the chauffeur, has only \$1,500 so he is no good by himself to Lil. Her last appearance as the "friend" of a still more elderly and more wealthy old gentleman in Paris, with Albert still at the wheel comes as no surprise.
If you are tired and worried I can recommend no better tonic than an hour with "The Red Headed Woman."
E.M.B.

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COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEAL

DRAFT BILL OF CONDITIONS AND PROCEDURE

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The Government Gazette of March 3 contains a Draft Bill setting up a Court of Criminal Appeal in the Colony.

The Chief Justice may make rules and orders regulating the practice and procedure under this Ordinance.

Provided that no such rules and orders shall be binding until the same have been approved by the Legislative Council and have been published in the Gazette.

Grounds for Appeal.

A person convicted on indictment may appeal to the Full Court—

(a) Against his conviction on any ground of appeal which involves a question of law alone; and

(b) Against his conviction, with the leave of the Full Court or upon the certificate of the judge who tried him that it is a fit case for appeal, on any ground of appeal, which involves a question of fact alone, or a question of mixed law and fact, or any other ground which appears to the Full Court or to the judge who tried him to be a sufficient ground of appeal; and

(c) With the leave of the Full Court or upon the certificate of the judge who tried him against the sentence passed on his conviction, unless the sentence is one fixed by law.

On an appeal against conviction the Full Court shall allow the appeal if they think that the verdict of the jury should be set aside on the ground that it is unreasonable or cannot be supported having regard to the evidence, or that the judgment of the court before whom the appellant was convicted should be set aside on the ground of a wrong decision of any question of law, or that on any ground there was a miscarriage of justice, and in any other case shall dismiss the appeal.

Provided that the Full Court may, notwithstanding that they are of opinion that the point raised in the appeal might be decided in favour of the appellant, dismiss the appeal if they consider that no substantial miscarriage of justice has actually occurred.

The Full Court may, if they allow an appeal against conviction, quash the conviction, and either direct a judgment and verdict of acquittal to be entered or order a new trial.

Against Sentence.

On an appeal against sentence the Full Court shall—

(a) If they think that a different sentence should have been passed, quash the sentence passed at the trial and pass such other sentence (whether more or less severe) warranted in law by the verdict in substitution therefor as they think ought to have been passed; and

(b) In any other case, dismiss the appeal.

If it appears to the Full Court—

(a) That an appellant, though not properly convicted on some count or part of the indictment, has been properly convicted on some other count or part of the indictment, the Full Court may either affirm the sentence passed on the appellant at the trial, or pass such sentence in substitution therefor as they think proper.

(b) That on the finding of the jury, where an appellant has been convicted of an offence, and the jury could on the indictment have found him guilty of some other offence, the jury must have been satisfied of facts which proved him guilty of that other offence, the Full Court may, instead of allowing or dismissing the appeal, substitute for the verdict found by the jury a verdict of guilty of that other offence and pass such sentence in substitution for the sentence passed at the trial as may be warranted in law for that other offence, not being a sentence of greater severity;

(c) That, where on the conviction of the appellant the jury have found a special verdict, a wrong conclusion has been arrived at by the court before which the appellant has been convicted on the effect of that verdict, the Full Court may, instead of allowing the appeal, order such conclusion to be recorded as appears to them to be in law required by the verdict and pass such sentence in substitution for the sentence passed at the trial as may be warranted in law;

(d) That, although the appellant was guilty of the act or omission charged against him, he was insane at the time the act was done or omission made, so as not to be responsible according to law for his actions, the Full Court may quash the sentence passed at the trial and make such order and report as would have been made by the trial judge.

(e) That any order made on the trial for the restitution of any

property to any person should be annulled or varied, although the conviction is not quashed, the Full Court may annul or vary the order, and the order, if annulled, shall not take effect, and, if varied, shall take effect as so varied.

Corporal Punishment and Death Sentence.

Notice of appeal of an application for leave to appeal shall be given within ten days of the date of conviction. In the case of a conviction involving sentence of death or corporal punishment the sentence shall not be executed until after the determination of the appeal.

Fresh Evidence.

The Full Court may, if they think it necessary or expedient in the interests of justice—

(a) Order the production of any document, exhibit, or other thing connected with the proceedings the production of which appears to them necessary for the determination of the case; and

(b) Order any witnesses who would have been compellable witnesses at the trial to attend and be examined before the Full Court, whether they were or were not called at the trial. Allow the admission of any depositions so taken as evidence before the Full Court; and

(c) Receive the evidence, if tendered, of any witness (including the appellant) who is a competent but not compellable witness; and

(d) Appoint any person with special expert knowledge to act as assessor in any case where it appears to the Full Court that such special knowledge is required for the proper determination of the case.

Ball.

The Full Court may, if it seems fit, on the application of an appellant, admit the appellant to bail pending the determination of the appeal.

An appellant shall be entitled to be present, if he desires it, on the hearing of his appeal, except where the appeal is on some ground involving a question of law alone, and then only when the Full Court gives him leave to be present.

Objects and Reasons.

The Ordinance, provides that the procedure of the Court shall be, as nearly as possible, the same as the practice and procedure in England.

As the principal object of this amending Ordinance is to make provision for criminal appeals in this Colony on the lines of the Criminal Appeal Act, 1907, in England, and the Criminal Appeal Ordinance, 1931, in the Straits Settlements, both of which have provisions relating to rules of court, it appears desirable to amend section 10 of the Criminal Procedure Ordinance. This is done by section 2 of the Amending Ordinance.

A feature of the new section 10 is the provision for assigning counsel and solicitors as legal aids in capital cases reserved and appeal cases. It has been the practice to so assign them in capital cases only. Provision is now made for some extension of the practice so as to correspond with the provision made in England by section 10 of the Criminal Appeal Act, 1907, and in the Criminal Appeal Ordinance, 1931.

The Court, which will hear the criminal appeal will be the Full Court as defined and constituted by the Full Court Ordinances No. 27 of 1921 and No. 35 of 1931 which are being consolidated and amended under another bill, which has been approved by the Secretary of State in his despatch of the August 24, 1932.

BANK NOTES IN CIRCULATION

Returns of the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation and of Specie in Reserves in Hong Kong, during the month ended February 28, 1933, as certified by the Managers of respective Banks are as follows:

	Average Amount	Specie in Reserve
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	20,884,170	8,300,000
Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	138,183,775	123,000,000
Merchants Bank of India Limited	1,100,614	1,240,000
Total	160,168,559	132,540,000

MEDICAL WORK IN NEW TERRITORIES

An Amalgamation Of Effort

WELCOME ANNOUNCEMENT AT CHARITY BALL

The welcome announcement was made on Saturday evening at the Charity Ball of the St. John Ambulance New Territory Medical Benevolent Branch, that an amalgamation had been made between the two excellent societies carrying on medical work in the New Territories, and that the new society is to have the continued help and co-operation of the Government.

Chairman's thanks to Sir William Shenton.

Mr. Ngan Shing Kwan, in welcoming the large assembly, numbering about 600, at the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room, thanked all guests for their support of this work on behalf of the sick poor in the New Territories. Particularly he wanted to thank their patron, Sir William Shenton, for his presence with them on this occasion, and for all that he had done to bring about the amalgamation of the two bodies giving medical aid in the New Territories.

In the past the public had always given them generous support, and he appealed to the Chinese community to back them up in the future as they had done in the past.

In conclusion Mr. Ngan thanked all who had helped towards the great success of this ball. (Applause.)

Pooling of Effort.

Sir William Shenton said that, as they all knew, there had been three separate bodies at work on medical relief in the New Territories, namely, the New Territories Medical Benevolent Association, the St. John's Ambulance Brigade and the Hong Kong Government. Under that arrangement there was bound to be overlapping and a certain division in making appeals for public support. As a result of negotiations in which Commissioner Morris and Mrs. Langley, on behalf of St. John's Ambulance Brigade, and Dr. Arthur Wu on behalf of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Association, had taken a leading part, an agreement to carry on the work in unison, and as one body, had been made. The Government had been approached through the Hon. Dr. Wellington, Dr. Moore and Dr. Valentine, and, following further negotiations, the Government agreed to hand over to the united association all work in the Territories except at Unlong and Taiipo, where the Government would continue to be responsible.

The Association were now operating eight clinics and 2 hospitals, at Tsun Wan and Kun Tin, and they hoped soon to open another hospital at Chung Chau. (Applause.)

"The Society extends a hearty welcome to any one who likes to come and inspect our clinics and hospitals, and to see at first hand what we are doing," said Sir William. Dr. Wellington had recently inspected their hospitals and clinics and had found them in perfect order. "If Dr. Wellington were satisfied I am sure you will be, and you will find such a visit an interesting experience."

Sir William paid warm tribute to the work of the Chairman, Mr. Ngan Shing Kwan, the Vice-Chairman, Mr. Ma Luk, Dr. Li Fu Chan and Dr. Wu, and the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Tso, and concluded by thanking everyone present for their support, and reminded them that every dollar subscribed went to the relief of human suffering and distress among the poor people of the New Territories, who had come to look to these Societies for greatly needed assistance.

The Dance.

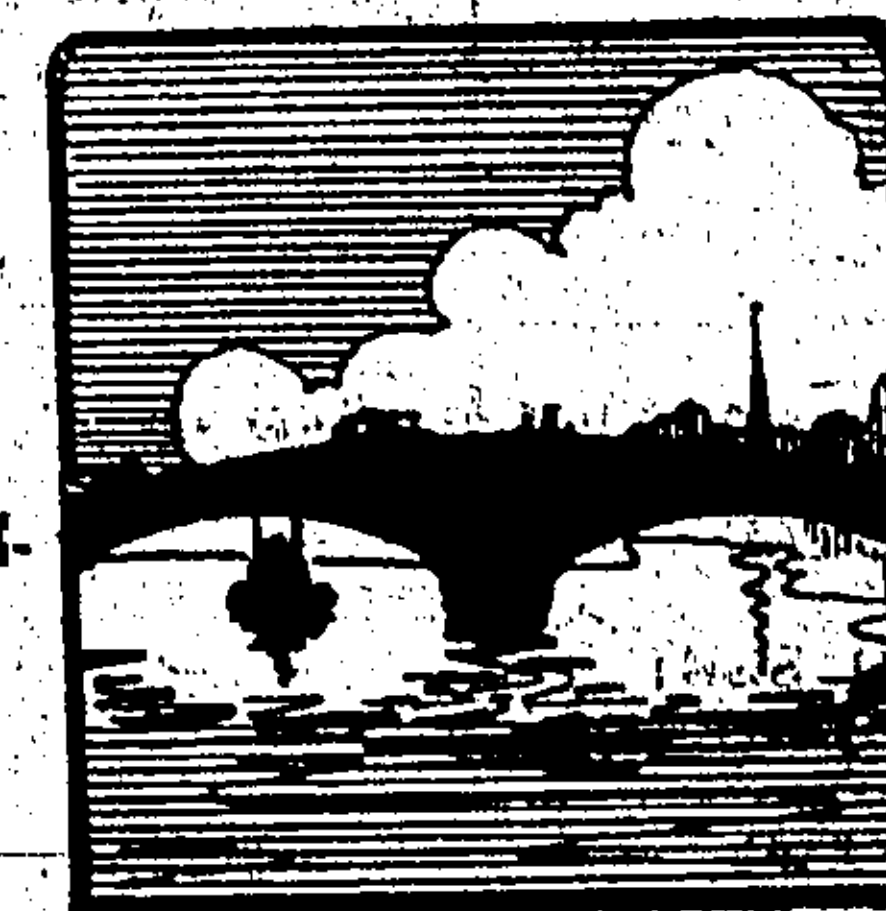
The dance proved a great success, and was splendidly supported by both the British and Chinese communities. A number of raffles for dolls were held, and during supper Sir William auctioned a prize that had not been claimed, and the first prize, which the winner put up for sale a second time, a sum of \$110 being realised in a few minutes. The Hong Kong Hotel orchestra provided the music, and thanks to careful arrangement made by the Committee and the Hotel management, the evening went with an excellent swing, "closing time" arriving all too soon!

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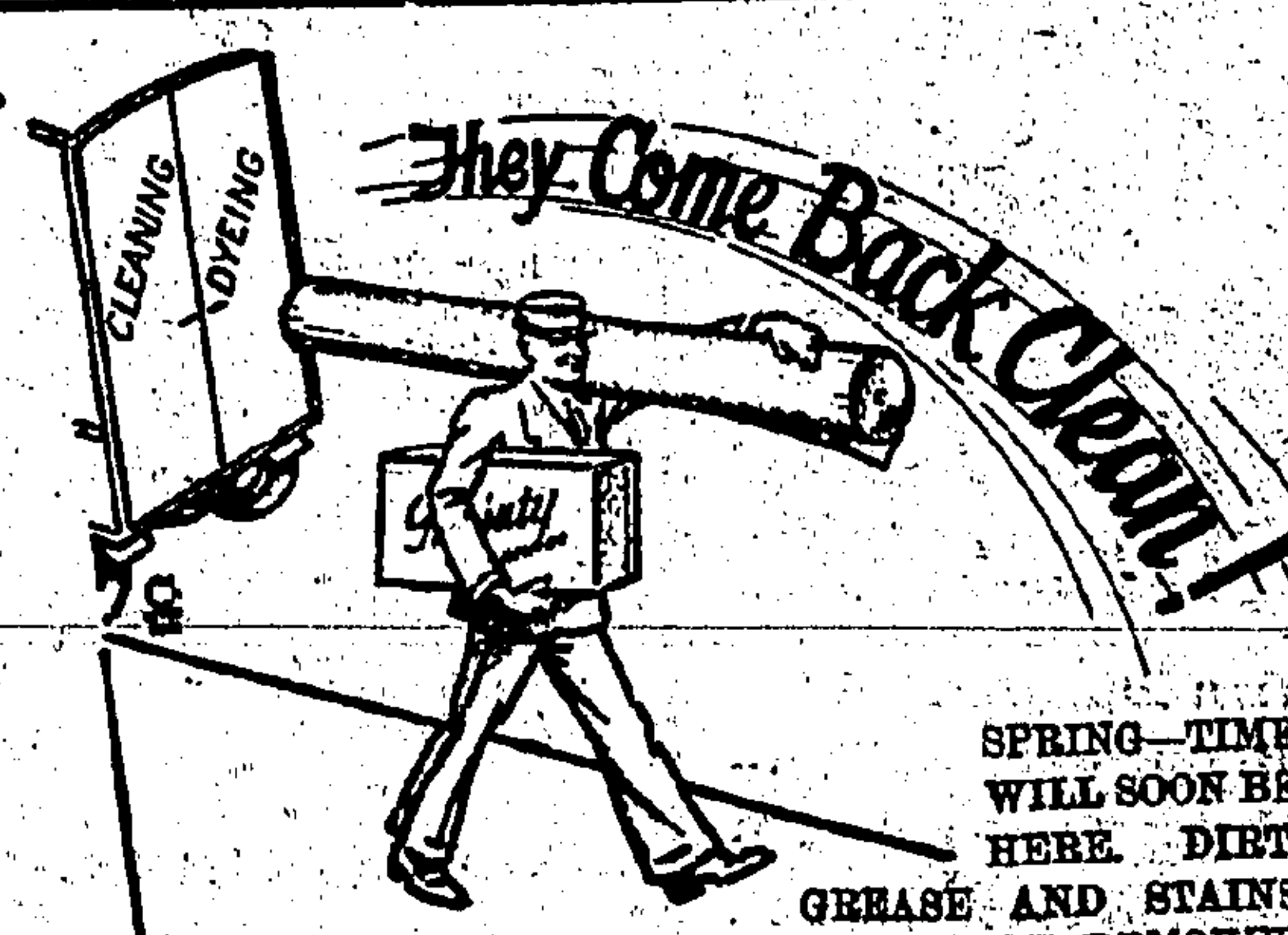


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THE NEW KOWLOON

The prophets who in the past predicted big things for Kowloon as a residential, commercial and industrial centre are now in a position to say to the sceptics "We told you so." For, though we can safely regard it as unlikely that Kowloon will replace Hong Kong as the mart and banking hub of the Colony, even in the years to come, the changes that are taking place to-day indicate but slightly the future character of the New Kowloon. Time was when scoffers not untruly referred to the Mainland as the Colony's cemetery, and expressed patriotic abhorrence for a district that had neither the amenities of a town nor the unity of a village. To-day the proud Mainlander can laugh at such unkind words, knowing that he is the inhabitant of an industrial and residential city with a hundred advantages over its sister across the harbour. It can boast of the finest hotel in the Colony, of commodious wharves and godowns, of an up-to-date and regular bus service, of speedy rail connection with South China, of recreation grounds and clubs second to none, of unrivalled metalled roads, of the major crafts and industrial enterprises of the Colony, and of gorgeous scenery and excellent bathing beaches. It is only too true that Kowloon is deficient in several of the necessities of any large and growing town, chief of which is the possession of an adequate Post Office and better postal facilities. But her development during the past five years has been so rapid, and her prospects are so assured, that there will come a time when Hong Kong will no longer be able to deny her recognition as an equal, when she will possess all the institutions and amenities commensurate with her dignity as a civic entity. Even yet Kowloon prides herself on her independence and it will not be long before she is to a large extent self-reliant and self-supporting. The certain future of the new Kowloon has inspired confidence in those with capital to invest, and the fact that land values have increased enormously is in itself indicative of trend of public opinion. In the vicinity of Hankow Road a new shopping centre has arisen within a year, and though it will take time before residents may be brought to the wisdom of supporting their own town, the enterprise of pioneering shopkeepers will in the end not go unrewarded. The building trade seldom has flourished as it does to-day, and the demand for flats and houses exceeds the supply. It would be too imaginative to estimate the probable population of Kowloon ten years hence, but the prophecy of an increase of at least thirty per cent. would be to err on the side of conservatism.

What of the future? A mistake of the past is rectified, through travail and perseverance, by the following generation. Some declare it was an error of judgment that put the capital city of the Colony on the Island of Hong Kong. Whether that be true or not, certain it is that Kowloon is slowly and surely asserting herself as a city which one day may compare not unfavourably with Shanghai or Singapore. Those who have faith in the New Kowloon may live to reap the harvest of their wisdom.

at Mongkok, but after further consideration of their proposal, the Club decided that it was unable to commit itself to further financial commitments in regard to playground maintenance schemes. It was suggested by the Secretary of the Rotary Club, Mr. M. F. Key, on behalf of the Directors, that the K.R.A. should take up with the Government the question of playground provision in Kowloon. It is anticipated that the Rotary Club will be able to secure a playground at Mongkok, and that the Government will be able to secure a playground at Yau Ma Tei.

THE FUTURE OF KOWLOON

BUILDING LANDMARKS ON THE MAINLAND

(Continued.)

Even at this early stage of the laying-out of Cheung Sha Wan there are applications for the leasing of Crown Land from Government for lots of various sizes in the district. Hundreds of new houses have sprung up in the neighbourhood, and factories that provide employment for hundreds of Chinese women and girls in the knitting industry, etc., appear as a valuable asset to the Colony.

The Cosmopolitan Dock, of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., carries on business complementary to the larger establishment at Hung Hom. It is situated at Sham Shui Po.

Across the boundary line from "Old" to "New" Kowloon into Kowloon Tong one sees a garden city picture—scattered over with about three hundred houses for families—European and Chinese—of the middle class. Residents of Kowloon Tong take pride in beautifying their garden plots and in maintaining the orderliness of this flourishing residential district. On the main thoroughfare—Prince Edward Road—some of the finest modern residential houses are seen. They are the product of the Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient and do credit not only to the architectural skill of their designers but also to the enterprise of this foreign concern for their faith in the future of Kowloon.

The London Mission Society maintains the magnificent buildings of the Diocesan Boys' School on the ridge of a hill overlooking the Yau-mat railway station. The Girls' School, like the Boys' conducted by the same Society holds a high place among the educational institutions at Kowloon. The same may be said of St. Mary's School, efficiently staffed by the Canonian Sisters of Charity.

The Brothers of the Christian Schools unostentatiously are about completing a palatial building that will house over eight hundred boarders and day scholars under the

roof of La Salle College, as this new boarding school has been named. It is on an elevated position with a commanding view of the harbour and the eastern entrance to Hong Kong.

The Kowloon Hospital, on the plateau of the hill situated within the heart of the residential section of New Kowloon, provides accommodation for residents requiring medical attention at Kowloon. A new block for maternity cases is now building and before long will be completed.

This part of Kowloon has obtained the level areas for building sites only after considerable expense in laborious work in cutting down hills that in some cases stood over four hundred feet above sea level. The process of filling in low-lying land within the resumption of farm lots that belonged to Chinese families who upon expropriation have been adequately compensated for the surrender of their land required for public improvements.

The districts of Tai Kok Tsui, Mong Kok, and Yau-mat no longer bear any semblance to the rustic beauty of their primitive days, when sportsmen used to cross over the harbour from Hong Kong, of a morning to return at dusk with their bag of snipe and wild pigeons. Those were the "good old days," when the return journey by sampans cost only 30 cents for a party of at least four sportsmen.

Taken together, the districts just referred to may be considered as a thriving township densely populated by tens of thousands of the most industrious and orderly people anywhere in the world. For the most part they are engaged in the smaller industries conducted in Old Kowloon. Many of them find employment by doing odd jobs in the loading and discharging of steamers and junks bringing merchandise into the port of the Colony in particular coal for storage in the spacious open yards at Yau-mat.

PLAYING GROUNDS

Kowloon's Recreational Facilities

In view of the serious lack of playing grounds for children in Kowloon, it is of interest to note from a series of letters published in the appendix to the annual report of the Kowloon Residents' Association, that the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga last year approached the Colonial Secretary and laid before him the views of representative residents of Kowloon on this important subject.

In a letter to Mr. Braga, the Hon. Secretary of the K.R.A. points out that his Committee recommend the retention of the Chatham Road Playground, which if it was closed, for the following reasons:

- It is central, and even if it ceases to function as a playground, it will still frequent it in preference to journeying the extra distance to the other grounds.
- It is breezy.
- It is a rain shelter.

The Committee consider, however, that when the Cox's Road Playground is functioning, the Chatham Road ground could well be reduced in size, and that a continuous promenade, should be arranged inside the present railings; this would be of benefit to residents generally, would assist in keeping down the playground, and would provide a safety zone between the playground and the traffic.

It will be recalled that in May last year the Rotary Club offered to equip and maintain a playground at Mongkok, and that the Government has accepted the offer.

MEANING OF LENT

A VITAL MESSAGE FOR EVERYONE

"Has Lent a real message for us, or does its observance seem a formal and artificial thing?" asks the Vicar of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, in his foreword to the March issue of the Church monthly magazine.

The call of Lent to us is to lay aside for a time the use of things innocent in themselves, in the interest of our spiritual life. In the rush of modern life our time gets overfilled with little things which do not really matter, while those higher interests, which have an eternal value, are largely forgotten and neglected. It is not that we despise these things, but that our time is so fully occupied in satisfying the demands of our lower nature that none is left for them. Is it then a formal or artificial thing to turn aside resolutely for a time from the lower, that we may give heed to the voice of God within our souls?

It is not a question of whether this or that is wicked, or whether God will punish us for it, but as to how far we are living reasonably and wisely in allowing trivialities to push in, to the exclusion of eternal realities. At least a wise use of Lent will prevent our souls from becoming haphazardly so completely the slave of the things of time and sense.

The three greatest facts of history are Christ, the Cross and the Church. At the heart of the Christian Faith stands the Cross of Christ. This Lent we are going to think especially of its meaning. Rest assured that it has a vital message for each one of us. I invite you to pray with me that together we may enter more fully into that meaning, and would invite all who read these words to consider their

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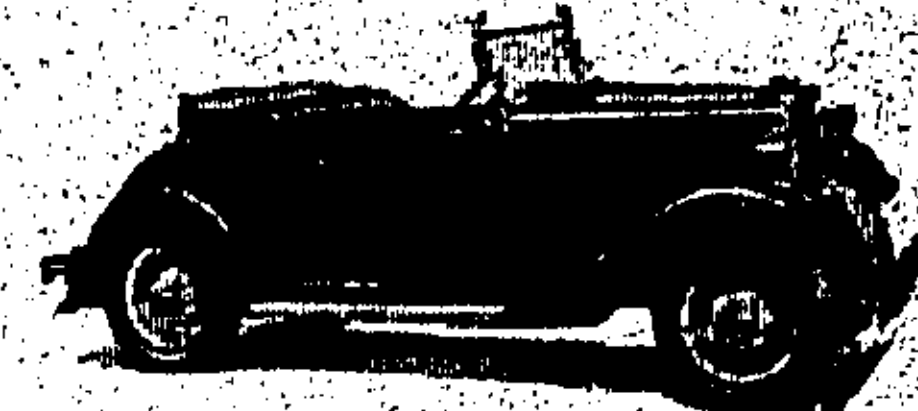
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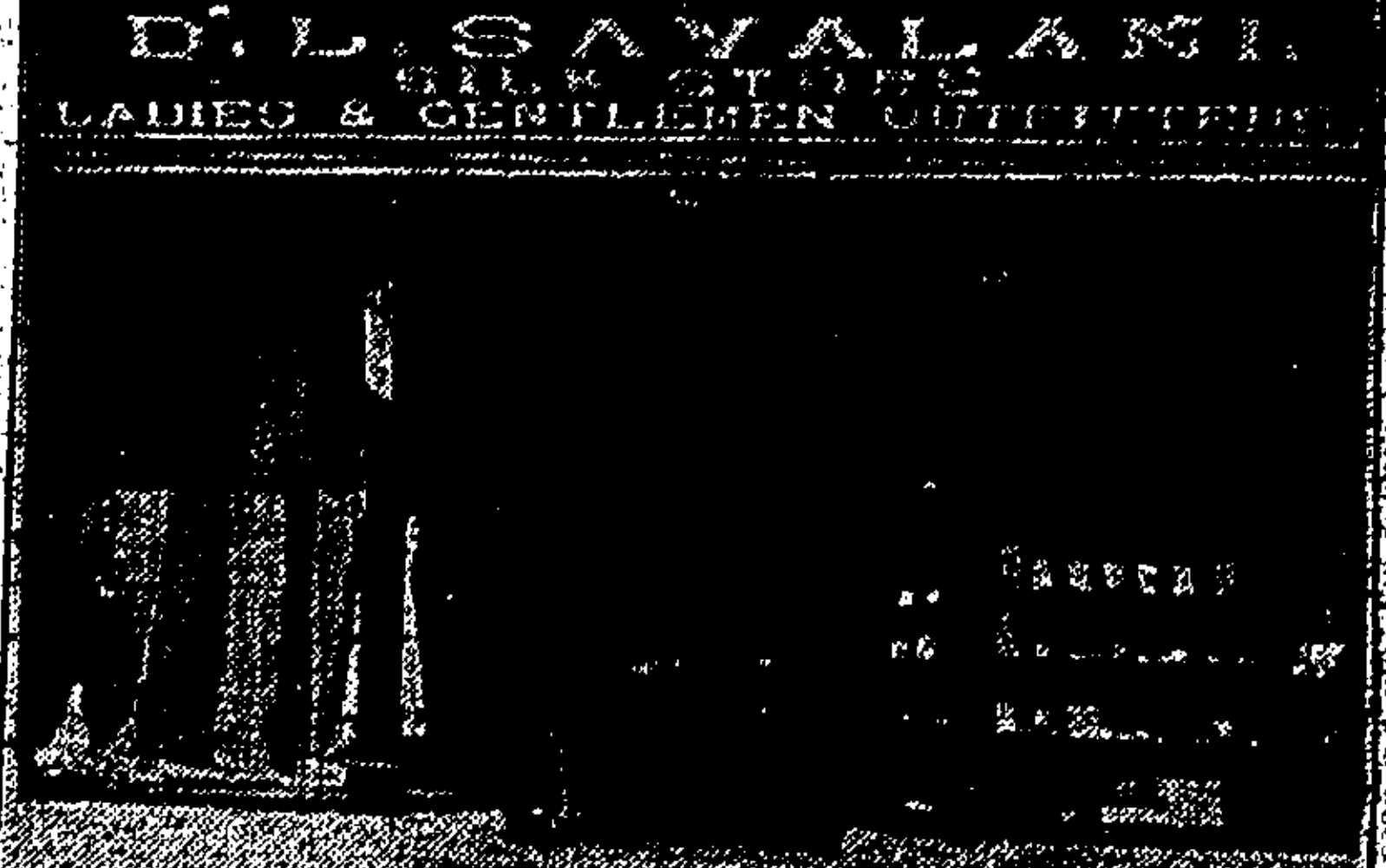
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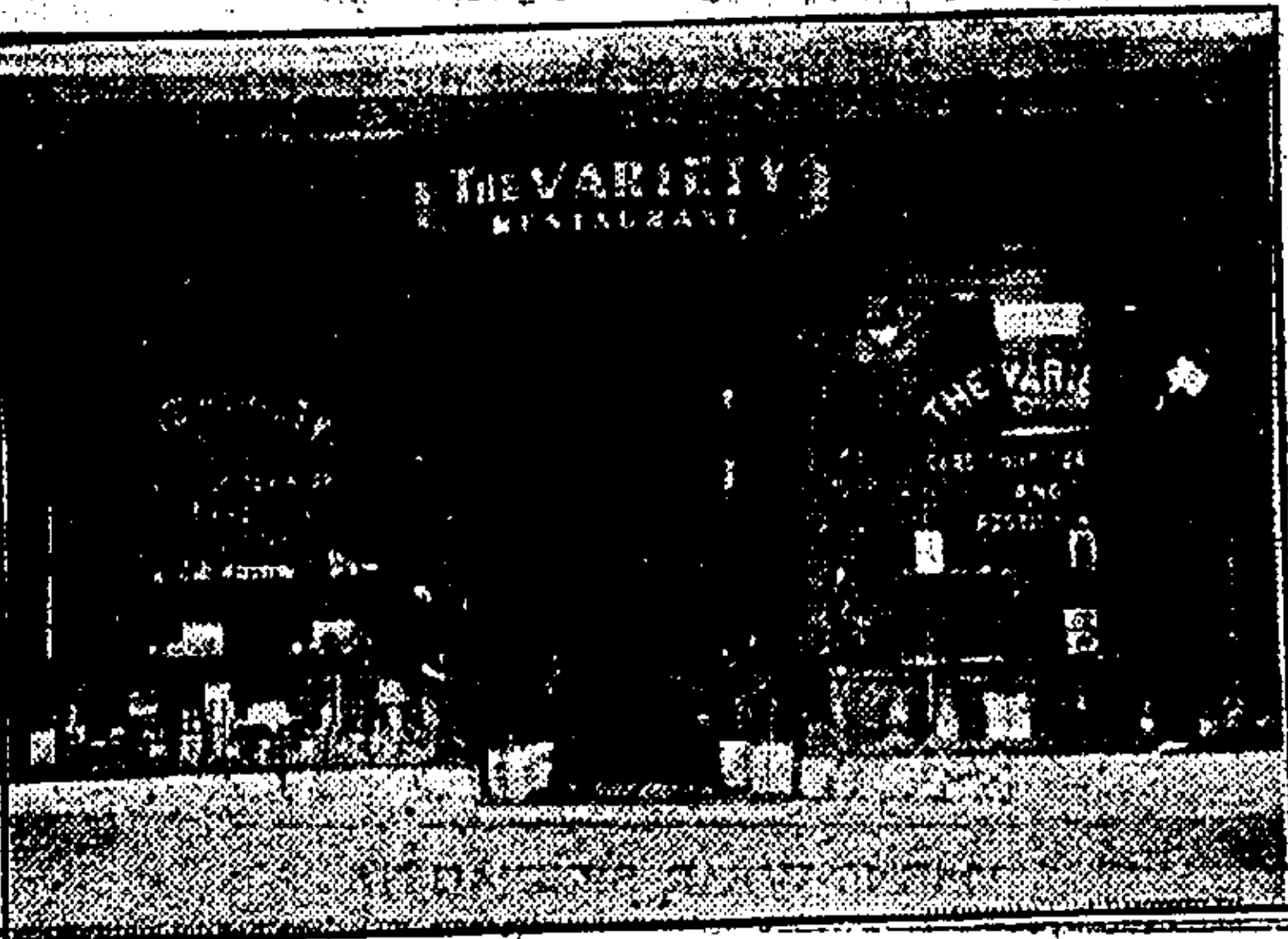
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CRICKET

K.C.C. II. v. Recreio

At King's Park, the Club de Recreio beat the Kowloon Cricket Club second eleven by 5 wickets.

Scores:

K.C.C.	
N. A. E. Mackay, b G. A. Guterres	7
G. A. V. Hall, c A. A. Guterres, b G. A. Guterres	0
D. Lee, c Roza-Pereira, b Pereira	11
C. I. Stapleton, c Carvalho, b G. A. Guterres	43
A. R. F. Raven, c G. A. Guterres, b Pereira	4
J. O. Lyl, b Lopes	4
J. P. H. Macaulay, c G. A. Guterres, b Lopes	10
D. S. Green, b G. A. Guterres	5
J. Chadwick, b Lopes	4
Lewis, c and b G. A. Guterres	0
G. Wright, not out	0
Extras (B1)	1
Total	89

Bowling Analysis.	
O. M. R. W.	
Pereira	9 3 18 2
G. A. Guterres	8 2 33 5
Lopes	7 1 37 3

Recreio.

C. L. Lopes, c Stapleton, b Lyl	8
F. H. Carvalho, b w., b Lyl	0
G. Souza, c Lee, b Raven	12
G. A. Guterres, at Mackay, b Lee	34
H. M. Xavier, b Lyl	32
A. P. Pereira, b Raven	5
A. A. Guterres, c Lewis, b Lyl	16
C. Roza-Pereira, b Chadwick	0
H. Asome, b Chadwick	1
R. Silva, not out	1
H. Guterres, c Raven, b Lyl	0
Extras (B7, LB4)	11
Total	118

Bowling Analysis.	
O. M. R. W.	
Chadwick	6 0 26 2
Lyl	12 2 40 5
Raven	8 0 37 2
Lee	6 2 14 1

SUNDAY'S MATCH

K.C.C. v. UNIVERSITY

A friendly Cricket match which ended in a draw was played at King's Park yesterday between the Kowloon Cricket Club and the University Past and Present.

The University had first knock and compiled a total of 230 for six wickets. S. V. Gittins and E. L. Gosano being responsible for 61 and 52 runs respectively. Kowloon replied with 205, Teddy Fincher batted excellently for 76 runs, while his brother Ernie contributed 57.

The scores:—

University.	
A. M. Rodrigues, c Benwell, b Lyl	5
L. T. Ride, b Smith	18
S. V. Gittins, c Benwell, b McInnis	61
E. Zimmer, c Benwell, b Lyl	36
A. T. Lee, c and b McInnis	17
F. R. Zimmer, b Goodwin	45
E. L. Gosano, not out	52
H. Normanboy, not out	1
Extras	25
Total for six wickets	280

J. L. Youngs, A. Bakar and A. T. Normanboy did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.	
O. M. R. W.	
Goodwin	12 4 47 1
Lyl	14 1 57 2
Smith	12 1 54 1
McInnis	14 1 63 3
E. F. Fincher	1 0 15 0

K.C.C.

E. C. Fincher, c Gittins, b H. Normanboy	76
I. McInnis, b Bakar	11
F. F. Fincher, b w. Bakar	57
N. A. E. Mackay, c Gittins, b Ride	8
F. S. W. Smith, b Gosano	32
V. M. Benwell, not out	8
G. V. Hall, c Zimmer, b Gosano	2
Extras	10
Total for six wickets	205

G. V. Hall, c Lyl, D. S. Green, and F. Goodwin did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.	
O. M. R. W.	
A. T. Normanboy	1 12 26 0
A. T. Lee	10 3 28 0
A. Bakar	8 3 19 1
H. Normanboy	9 1 45 1
E. L. Gosano	6 0 23 3
S. V. Gittins	19 0 33 0
L. T. Ride	8 0 26 1

FOOTBALL

Kowloon v. South China

Despite the absence of two of their regular forwards in Ip Pak Wa and Tam Kong Pak, South China managed to beat Kowloon by two clear goals, at Caroline Hill.

They were undoubtedly the better team and had they made the most of their opportunities would have won by a much bigger margin.

Almost from the start, the Chinese took the lead, Leung Tat Wing scoring after a scramble in the Kowloon goalmouth. They continued to show the upper hand, but an unexpected raid by the Kowloon nearly placed them on level terms. Webb, however, shot wide from close range.

After the interval, South China continued to attack, and from a corner kick by Cheng Shiu Hong, Walker headed the ball into his own goal.

South China:—Lim Tin Chai; Lau Mau, Lee Tin Sang; Leung Ip Chan, Leung Wing Chui, Tong Kwan; Cheng Shiu Hong, Wong Mee Shun, Fung King Chung, Leung Tat Wing and Yeung Poon Hon.

Kowloon:—Cook; Goulty, Walker, Bliss, McKelvie, Wood; Hill, White, Nelems, Webb and Bickford.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL

RECREIO BEAT SIGNALS.

In a third Division football match played at Chatham Road yesterday, the Club de Recreio beat the R. E. and S. by six goals to three. The Portuguese made several changes in their team, and were superior throughout. In the first half, the score was two goals all, but in the second half, the Recreio, with the advantage of the strong wind attacked continuously and scored no less than four goals before the final whistle sounded.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL CONCERT

CLEVER ACTING BY PUPILS

School dramatics play an important in the education of the children at St. Mary's and reflects in no uncertain manner on the standard of training which they receive.

The concert given on Saturday by the St. Mary's School, Kowloon, is a typical example of careful and sympathetic teaching.

Entitled "In the Shadow of the Guillotine," a nine act play was cleverly presented, the players all executing their parts with equal skill and showing exceptional dramatic talent. Miss Aurie as "Marie" played her difficult role with every credit, and was ably supported by Miss Alda Alves "Aline" and Miss Jeanette Marr as "Francois."

The story, which has its setting in the time of the French Revolution, shows a peasant girl, who has been adopted by an aristocratic family, in disgrace for a theft of which she is not guilty. The story cleverly closes with her vindication and the gallant sacrifice of her own life to save the father and daughter, of the family who adopted her, from the guillotine.

The characters in the play were played as follows:—

Marie Lamerre—(a peasant)
Miss Aurie Remedios
La Marquise de la Rocheaucoeur
Miss Alicia Sequeira
Le Marquis de la Rocheaucoeur
Miss Hermia Oliveira
Aline de la Rocheaucoeur (her daughter)
Miss Alda Alves
Denise, Hantenbea de Cambrai (her cousin)
Miss Georgina Fernandes
Mere Jeanne (a peasant)
Miss Isabel Marr
Francois Lelort (her son)
Miss Jeanette Marr
Captain Barre
Miss Kette Marr
Germinal (a street urchin)
Miss Nydia Osmund
A priest
Miss Lily Shearer

BEAUTY QUARTETTE

CLEVER DANCES BY RUSSIANS

A number of prominent residents attended the weekly dinner and dance held in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon, on Saturday night, among those present were: Paymaster-Commander and Mrs. P. H. Buckling, Mr. T. Drouth, Mr. D. Black, Mr. G. P. Murphy, Dr. and Mrs. R. K. V. Leung, and others.

ST. PETER OF THE FERRY

Mr. Large And His Flock Of 35,000

"I probably see more faces in the course of a day than anyone else in the Colony," declared Mr. W. Large, the new Inspector of the Hong Kong-Kowloon Ferry Co., to a Daily Press representative. It is estimated that over 35,000 men, women and children of eight different nationalities pass Mr. Large every morning, afternoon and evening to and from their homes and offices. If he were a psychologist he would derive valuable material from the study of the expressions and gestures of these thousands of his fellow-beings, he would be able to tell why Mr. So-and-so wears a liverish look and why Miss X is smiling radiantly at her friend. Sorrow, joy, greed and boredom are expressed on the faces of those who pass Mr. Large by, but he is too busy to waste time on idle speculation.

Mr. Large, who is a motor-engineer by calling, left his native Canada 16 years ago to seek his fortune in Hong Kong. His first job was with the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd., whom he left to take up an engineering post with the Kowloon Dock. After several years of service with the latter concern, he joined the Duro Garage. He replaced Mr. Hill as Inspector a month ago and though he now has little to do with engines, his practical knowledge serves him in good stead in his present occupation. He has found neither fame nor fortune, as yet, but he found Hong Kong, and that, for him, was wealth indeed, "Hong Kong is the best place in the world," he said, and spoke sadly of unemployment in the West. It is a large statement, but he ought to know.

ST. ANDREW'S CLUB

OUTSTANDING EVENTS OF THE MONTH

The outstanding event of the month at St. Andrew's Club, Kowloon, will be the Twelfth Annual Marathon Race which is being held on Monday, March 20, starting outside the Church at 4.30 p.m. Three silver cup prizes are being offered. Further particulars can be obtained from the Hon. Secretary.

Prof. W. Brown of the University, has kindly promised to give an illustrated lecture in the Church Hall on Thursday, 23rd, commencing at 9 p.m. All members are asked to make a note of the time and date and to bring all their friends along.

It is hoped to arrange a Mock Trial for Monday, the 27th. The usual Whist Drive for members and their friends is fixed for the 6th.

During Lent a number of talks will be arranged on various subjects. Leaders will open with a short talk, after which the subject will be open for general discussion. Subjects and Leaders for March are given below, and members are requested to come and take part in these discussions.

The complete programme is as follows:—

Monday, 6th at 9 p.m.—Whist Drive.
Thursday, 9th at 9 p.m.—Discussion Class. Subject "The Problem of Guidance" Opener—Dr. H. Matthews.

Monday, 13th at 9 p.m.—Committee Meeting.

Thursday, 16th at 9 p.m.—Discussion Class. Subject, "The Meaning of Fellowship" Opener—Mr. R. H. Wong.

Monday, 20th at 4.30 p.m.—Marathon Race.

Monday, 20th at 9 p.m.—Discussion Class. Subject, "The Laws of Friendship" Opener—Mr. E. F. Fincher.

Thursday, 23rd at 9 p.m.—Lecture by Prof. W. Brown, "A Visit to Klondyke."

Monday, 27th at 9 p.m.—Mock Trial.
Thursday, 30th at 9 p.m.—Social.

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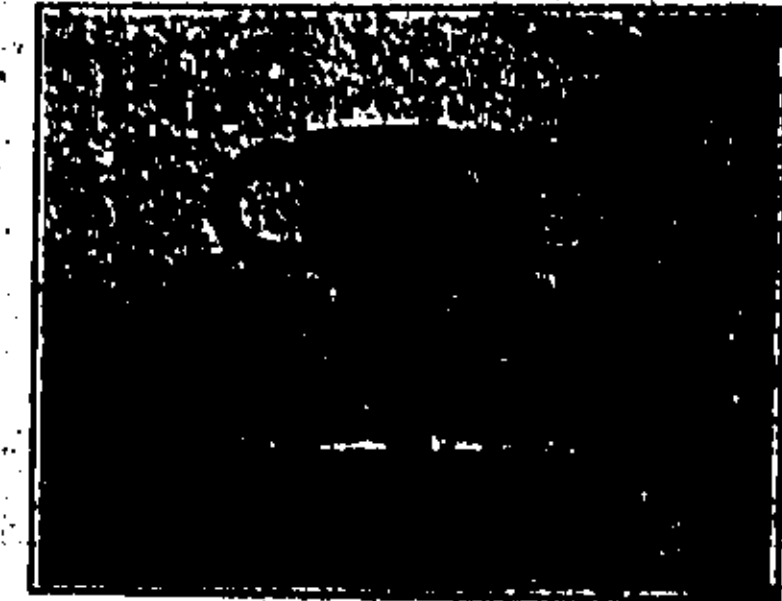


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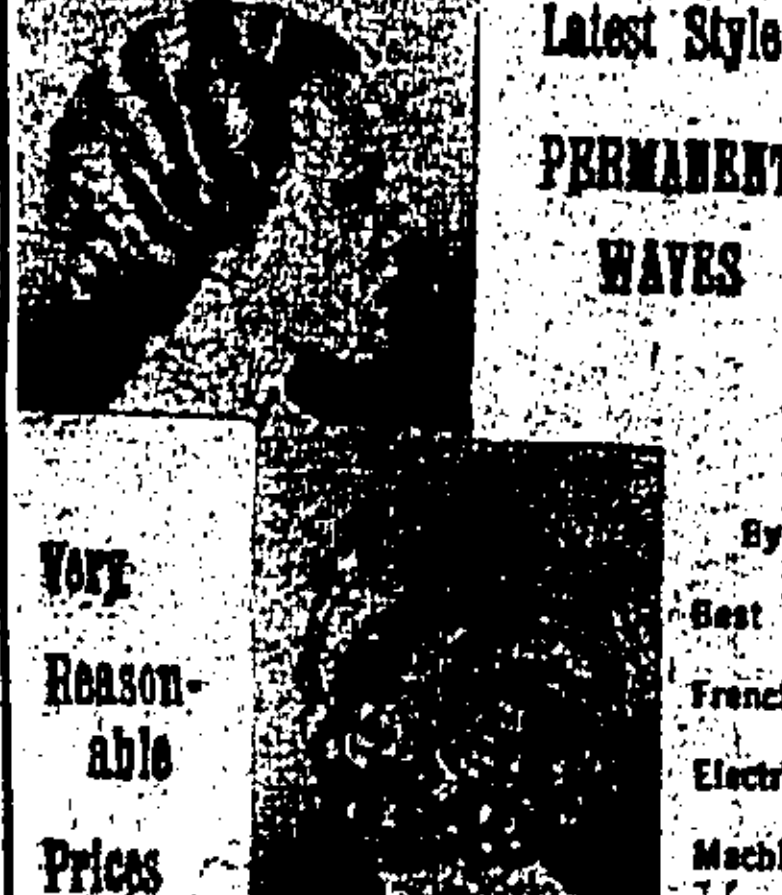
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DIOCESAN GIRLS' SCHOOL

ANNUAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION ON SATURDAY

BISHOP OF VICTORIA'S ADDRESS TO PUPILS

There was a very large attendance of parents, pupils and friends at the annual prize distribution of the Diocesan Girls' School, Kowloon, on Saturday afternoon.

Among those present were the Right Rev. Ronald Hall, Bishop of Victoria; Miss Sawyer, Headmistress; the Rev. W. Walton Rogers; Professor Ruffey; Mrs. E. M. Minett, M.D.; Mr. A. O. Brown, Inspector of Schools; Mrs. M. K. Lo and Miss Robinson. The programme opened with the school hymn followed by an address of welcome to the Right Rev. Bishop of Victoria by Rev. W. Walton Rogers.

WELCOME TO BISHOP OF VICTORIA

The Rev. W. W. Rogers said: "I am afraid that the Bishop must be getting tired of welcome and prize-giving. Our excuse for inflicting on him yet another of each is due primarily to the close and intimate relationship which has always existed between the Bishop of Victoria and the Diocesan Boys' and Girls' Schools. The first Diocesan Girls' School, known as the Diocesan Native Female Training School, was erected with funds collected by Mrs. Smith, the wife of the first Bishop of Victoria. From this, in 1868, sprang the Diocesan Home and Orphanage, which catered for English, Eurasian, Chinese and other scholars, little boys and girls, and which was under the immediate superintendence of the second Bishop of Victoria, Bishop Olford. From 1880 no more girls were received as boarders though they still remained as day scholars. In 1900 the Diocesan Girls' School was opened under the auspices of Bishop Hoare, and the Bishop of Victoria has always acted as Chairman of the Committee. It is therefore something more than a formal welcome which we offer to the Bishop, on the occasion of this, his first appearance at a public function of the school.

All of us who have the interests of the school at heart are united in welcoming you here to-day, Sir, to this Prize-giving both as our Bishop and because we know that the interests of the Diocesan Schools are particularly dear to you. It gives us therefore very much pleasure to have you with us to-day to distribute the prizes and we trust that your association with the school will be a long and happy one.

HON SECRETARY'S REPORT

The Hon. Secretary of the School, the Rev. W. W. Rogers, also read the report for the year.

"The Committee had occasion to meet only three times during the past year. Beyond the usual routine business dealt with by the committee, the only matter of interest was as follows. Owing to the improved financial position of the school, the Committee was able to grant a general slight increase of salaries to the staff as from January 1932. This increase was long overdue, and the Committee is grateful to the staff for their patience and devotion to the school while it was passing through a difficult period.

With the corresponding additional payments to the Provident Fund this increase cost the school nearly \$2,000 per annum. It is gratifying that the school finances have stood the strain so satisfactorily. The school now has a small endowment fund of \$7,700 which the Committee is hoping to increase as rapidly as possible. During the year the school buildings were thoroughly renovated and the electric wiring replaced throughout, at a cost of a little over \$10,000.

The Committee would like to congratulate the Headmistress and the staff on the healthy and flourishing condition of the school and to assure them that their faithful and loyal service is keenly appreciated. The Hon. Treasurer's report was then presented by Professor Ruffey, which showed the school to be in a sound financial position. Mrs. E. M. Minett, M.D., also gave her report as medical officer of the school, in which she congratulated the school on its high standard of health.

INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS

In his opening remarks Mr. A. O. Brown, Inspector of Schools, mentioned that he was one of the school's first masters, when it started some thirty-three years ago in Bonham Road, and he had the privilege of teaching many parents of the children in front of him. He had inspected schools all over the world including London, Birmingham, Queensland, Melbourne and Shanghai. He was pleased to say that the Diocesan Girls' School, in particular, compared favourably with the schools in these big cities. The speaker had inspected the Diocesan Girls' School for four years in succession and although there were a few faults at first these were adjusted as quickly as they were pointed out and the school had become better and better.

In his general report Mr. Brown said that he found the discipline of the school to be excellent, and good all round work had filled the year. "I saw some relief maps made with plasticine which tended to give a false impression of the contour of the Eastern countries of England. Pictures of Switzerland were freely used to illustrate geographical definitions and the Composition and Reading were excellent. 'The pupils are also gaining more confidence in their conversational powers...they are not so afraid of my burly figure now' said Mr. Brown.

OLD GIRLS' ASSOCIATION

Miss Winifred Robinson, President of the Old Girls' Association in her report said:

As president, I have been asked to give a brief outline of the Diocesan Old Girls' Association, and though there are many here who know this has been in existence since 1928, I feel there may be some to whom it is merely a name, and the following facts will, therefore, prove of interest.

The Association, which now has a membership of 68, 46 of these being life members, was formed in 1928, having for its objects the promotion of social, intellectual and athletic intercourse and the strengthening of good feeling between the members and the School. Its principal aim has been to forge a link between past and present scholars, and the last three years have been spent in striving to establish a Scholarship. This, it gives me great pleasure to report, is now in existence and it is primarily for that reason that I am here to-day, to ask the Bishop to present the D.O.G.A. Scholarship of \$50.

It is also my privilege to ask the School to accept a hockey shield for competition between Classes. This is being presented to-day for the first time and has been won by Class 3. (Applause).

The Association holds a general meeting every year in April when new members are gladly welcomed and Committee members elected. This Committee meets monthly and arranges activities such as concerts, dances, walks, picnics or some social gathering by which members are brought into closer contact with one another. Any suggestions put forward by members receive careful consideration, and in the past Physical Culture and Cooking Classes have been arranged.

I should like to take this opportunity of inviting all those Girls who have left School and those who are leaving this year, to join the D. O. G. A. We need each one of you, your interest and wholehearted support, to keep alive that spirit of fellowship and bond of sympathy. We have received much, we are trying to do a little, and it is for you, to help us to hand on to those that come after a heritage worthy of the School motto—'Daily Giving Service'.

HEADMISTRESS' REPORT

The Headmistress, Miss Sawyer, in her report said:

This is the 33rd report of the present Diocesan Girls' School and the work under review is that of the year 1932.

We began the year with 288 names on the Roll and we ended the year with exactly the same number. In the month of July we had only 280 but in September, October, November we had 295, which numbers a record for the past 10 years, though to-day's number is 306. The average attendance was 270.5 as against 262.4 in the previous year. The increase in our numbers is partly due to the fact that what was once a dormitory has been converted into a classroom for Kindergarten children, and the number of boarders has been decreased on this account, because I refuse to allow more than the prescribed number of beds in any one dormitory. With the exception of an outbreak of mumps in the month of April last we had a splendid record of good health. It is very noticeable that the boarders' attendance is much more regular than that of day scholars, who in some cases are inclined to stay away for somewhat trivial reasons.

Staff.

We had several changes on the staff. Miss Grose left us in December 1931 having been a loyal helper since 1925. We were fortunate in securing the services of Mrs. Kirkby who had been with us from 1924 to 1927 so that we looked upon her as an old friend. Mrs. Kirkby goes on leave this month but we much hope that she will rejoin the staff on her return from furlough. Miss Howe joined us in January of last year, but she left us in April to be married—an event which was not expected quite so soon—Miss Howe left her mark in the school and from her letters I know she still feels interested in our welfare. Mrs. Holland left us the same month, her temporary appointment having come to an end. These positions have been filled by Mrs. Fernandez, B.Sc., Ph.B., who is a History specialist and Miss Vaughan who has had long experience in teaching. Miss Constance Wood left us last March and her position was filled by Mrs. Olsen. In September we welcomed Mrs. Angley who is now in charge of the K.G. in place of Mrs. Lya who is due for home leave. We are pleased to have one of our Old Girls Miss Henderson, as our Dancing Mistress and from September last we have had three separate Dancing Classes in school. This year Miss Henderson has come to my help and is giving physical exercises to all classes in the school while Miss Lee is away on furlough. Her loyalty and interest in the school are invaluable. The beautiful trophy for dancing which is an asset to any school is largely her gift, and we thank her very sincerely for this, all else that she gives. In September we were very pleased to welcome back Mrs. Thomas. To-day's entertainment is the result of her work and to this as to all else that she does for us she has given of her best. In December we had our Annual School Bazaar, our Third Drill Display both of which were marked successes.

D.O.G.A.

You have just listened to a report read by Miss Robinson of the activities of the Old Girls' Association. I would like to say how deeply I love this association and how grateful I am for all that it does. I feel it means so much to the present school to know that it has such a loyal organisation behind it. I would like to thank Mrs. M. K. Lo and Mrs. Matthews who were the first Presidents together with Miss Kacker, its first Secretary. I would also like to thank Miss Robinson and Miss Anderson who have been President and Secretary for the past three years, and to whose energy and devoted work the Association and the Present School owe so much.

Examinations. Last year was the first year that we had a definite Matriculation Class. We began the year with four candidates all of whom passed the Senior in 1931. Unfortunately two of these four dropped out and of the two left one is now in the University but the other failed to pass in Mathematics. All her other subjects were exceptionally good and she gained distinction in English in her Senior Certificate. Of 10 Seniors who entered one qualified for the Matriculation with distinction in Arithmetic. Eight others passed and gained distinction in History. The one who failed to get certificate had been in the school less than eight months and her work was very creditable. We entered 14 for the Junior examination and eight passed with four distinctions. Only four names were sent in for the Trinity College, London, Music Examinations and all four passed—one with Honours. The Royal Drawing Society, London, sent us a prize for work done in Division VI, i.e., the final division.

Inspections. You have heard the reports made by Mrs. Brown and also by Dr. Minett. The school appreciates these inspections and suggestions made in the reports are always considered and if possible carried out. Too often suggested improvements are delayed on account of lack of funds.

Thanks. Before closing I wish to thank all those loyal friends of the school who help in so many ways—they are so numerous that I cannot name them, all the parents who co-operate so loyally all the Girl Guide Officers and examiners who give up their time so willingly week by week to come either to the many firms who made liberal donations to our School Bazaar—to Mr. Cook who personally defrayed the cost of erecting a stand for our Drill Display, to the Matilda and Kowloon Hospital Nurses and Doctors and to our School Doctor, Dr. Durrant, all of whom are ready to give us their services when necessary, to each member of the School Committee, especially to Mr. Churn who has been most patient and kind in his advice and in giving his time to the oversight of reports which are sent to the school during his summer holidays, to the Honorary Secretary, who is always ready to answer any call, to Miss Robinson and Miss Anderson and all the other members of the D.O.G.A. and last but not

least to the School Matron, Mrs. de Biere, and to each member of the Teaching Staff. It now remains for me to add my personal welcome to the Right Reverend Bishop of Hong Kong on this his first appearance on this platform and to thank him and you for coming here to-day.

THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS

Before distributing the prizes, his Lordship the Bishop in a short address remarked that he would try to do his best and carry on the good work of his predecessor, Bishop Duppy, as Chairman of the School Committee.

His Lordship also remarked that he felt that he was also an "old girl" having started his school days in a girls' school! His Lordship then remarked that whereas his "kid sister" had just won the victrix ludorum at the same school, his Lordship competed in the "old girls' race" and came last!

Geographical England. His Lordship went on to sympathise with the young pupils for their mistakes in the geographical outline of the East counties of England, referred to by Mr. Brown in his report. As a young boy he was driven about the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk a great deal in his father's coach. The coachman on reaching the top of a hill would stop and remark that this was the highest spot in the county. Curiously on in the opposite direction the coachman would reach another high spot where he would stop and repeat his claim that this was also the highest spot in the county! Concluding his Lordship bestowed God's blessing on the school and remarked that he counted on the old girls to assist in making this Colony one of God's places on earth.

THE CONCERT.

Following the distribution of prizes a concert was given by the pupils. In the first item on the programme the kindergarten pupils sang a selection of nursery rhymes followed by an act by the senior pupils of the school entitled "The story of Tobit," in eight acts. The characters are as follows:

The Story of Tobit.
Scene I.
Outside the house of Tobit.
Scene II.
The Same.
Scene III.
On the road to Ecbatane.
Scene IV.
Outside the house of Raguel.
Scene V.
The Marriage Chamber.
Scene VI.
Outside the house of Raguel.
Scene VII.
Outside the house of Tobit.
Scene VIII.
Inside the house of Tobit.
The Wedding Feast.
Characters.

Tobit Joyce Anderson.
Anna (his wife) Priscilla Ho.
Tobias (his son) Phyllis Ho.
Raguel Noleen Roylance.
Edna (his wife) Cynthia Sanh.
Sara (his daughter) Barbara Latham.
Raphael (an angel) Eileen Witchell.
Asmodeus (an evil spirit) Dorothy Henderson.

A Jongleur.
Handmaids.
Constance Ho and Patricia Ho.
Ghosts of Husbands.
Janet Broadbridge, Joan Poon, Lilian Wu, Esther Kung, and Alice Leung.
Pages—Alice Hau and Beatrice Chan.
Readers—Cynthia Sanh, Dorothy Henderson, Noleen Roylance, Constance Ho, and Thelma Gonzalez.

PRIZE LIST.
Scripture—Ellen Ford (presented by Rev. W. W. Rogers, M.A.); Crispina Perpetua, Phyllis Grose, Evelyn Bolt, Dora Chow, Lucy West, Lily Der, Audrey Ho, Maanette Ho, Ruth Crane, Lois Crane, Cecilia Ho, and John Carvalho.

Needlework Prizes—Margaret Thomson, Susan Wong, Elice Muir, Alice Hau, Helen Lee, Winifred Huff, Sophie Tai, May O'Farrell, Bessie Tam, Lillian Tai, Kathleen Tunn, Eva Churn, Mary Lau, Grace Grant, Derek Anderson (Handwork), and Margaret Wheeladen.
Class Prizes—Hesta Thomson, Valeria Bockler, Joyce Anderson, Julia Tsang, Bessie Hau, Eileen Witchell, Elsie Hong, Jeannette Ngai, Audrey Ho, Nannette Ho, Daphne Ho, Joyce Baker, Vivienne Jer, John Robson, and Bobbie Hoare.

Special Prizes—Helen Ho (distinction in English Senior Local); Carmen Alonco (dist. in History Senior Local); Hesta Thomson (dist. in Arithmetic Senior Local); Phyllis Grose (Special Prize for English Composition, presented by Miss Wentworth).
Royal Drawing Society Prize—Helen Ho (distinction in Drawing V.I.).
Dancing Trophy—Presented by the Dancing Trophy for those who have made the most improvement—Phyllis Grose and Stella Wong.
Hockey Shield (presented by D.O.G.A. Interclass Hockey won by (Continued on next column.)

PAONING HOSPITAL, SZECHWAN

Chinese Appreciate Western Treatment

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The following are Dr. Mac Gray's impressions of the hospital at Paoning, Szechwan, where he has joined Dr. Bruchamp.

It is a very small little hospital with about forty beds open now. There is room for twenty more, but as hitherto there has only been one doctor and one nurse, it has been all they could cope with. We are now two doctors and a second nurse has come, so that a time may come when we extend a bit. We usually have in the wards several cases of tuberculous joints and bones and to do anything for them they have to be in several months or even more.

Then there are usually some in to break off opium, but this has its difficulties as they very easily return to it if they are not converted, and mostly they want to break off because they find it expensive; besides, many of them first took to it because of some painful disease, and unless you can deal with this efficiently they are certain to go back to opium as the disease often flares up—and who ever could make a diagnosis when everything is marked by opium? The other beds will certainly have quite a number of hookworms and sundry tumours, besides the usual injuries—burns, broken bones, military beatings, bullet wounds and so on. The wards have morning and evening service, at which a systematic three weeks' course gives general all-round teaching.

Out Patient-Days. The Monday, Wednesday and Friday are out-patient days, when all are supposed to come by 11 noon. Things that once might have been cured by operation have often come too late. The other day there was a little girl of six or so who was quite blind in both eyes—the result of a dose of Chinese indigestion medicine! Then there were two or three inoperable cancers.

FANLING GOLF

Ladies' Golf Competitions

Miss V. M. Thomas qualified for the Captain's Cup for February: 95-92-87. The Medal Competition held on February 28 over the New Course was won by Mrs. Fischer (109-36-73), who had the best score over the last nine holes, after a tie with Mrs. Redmond (91-18-73) and Mrs. Tottenham (90-17-73). Other scores were: Mrs. Lambert (83-9-74), Mrs. Wren (91-17-74), Miss Cousins (96-22-74).

The Eclectic Competition running during January and February was won by Mrs. Tottenham, 70-42-684. Other scores were: Mrs. Wren, 73-42-684; Mrs. Lambert, 72-24-681; Mrs. Lisman, 79-51-701.

Mrs. Mackenzie and Mrs. Wild won the prize kindly presented by Mrs. Holmes for Shanghai four-somes, 89-22-87.

A Running Medal Pool will be held over the Old Course during March. Any number of cards may be taken out at 50 cents per card. There will be a Running Eclectic Competition over the New Course during the month of March. Any number of cards may be taken out at 50 cents per card.

Members are reminded that the Annual Prize-giving will take place on Tuesday, March 21. Mrs. Hallifax has kindly promised to present the prizes. Tomstone Competitions will be held over the Old and New Courses.

Scholarships and Certificates. Ligard Scholarship—Joyce Anderson. Doga Scholarship—Julia Tsang. Woo Hui Tong Scholarships (no certificates)—Janet Broadbridge, Cynthia Sanh, and Beatrice Stone. Miss Skipton's Scholarship (no certificate)—Jacqueline Matthews. Trinity College of Music, 4 entries, 4 Passes, one with Honours. Junior Division, Dora Chow (Honours); Preparatory, Mabel Churn, Kitty Dudgeon, and Kitty Nakata.

Hong Kong Junior Local—14 entries, 3 passes—Valeria Bockler, Ina Carvalho (dist. in English), Crispina Perpetua (dist. in Scripture), Mabel Lau, Edna Ho (dist. in English), Yolanda, Ellen, and Stella Wong (dist. in English).
Hong Kong Senior Local—10 entries, 9 passes—Hesta Thomson (dist. in Arithmetic), Carmen Alonco (dist. in History), Helen Bush, Joyce Chang, Grace Clayton, Ellen Ford, Dorothy Lea, Margaret Thomson, and Susan Wong.
Matriculation—3 entries, 1 passed—Senior—Angela Hau and Helen Ho (Senior Certificate with dist. in English).

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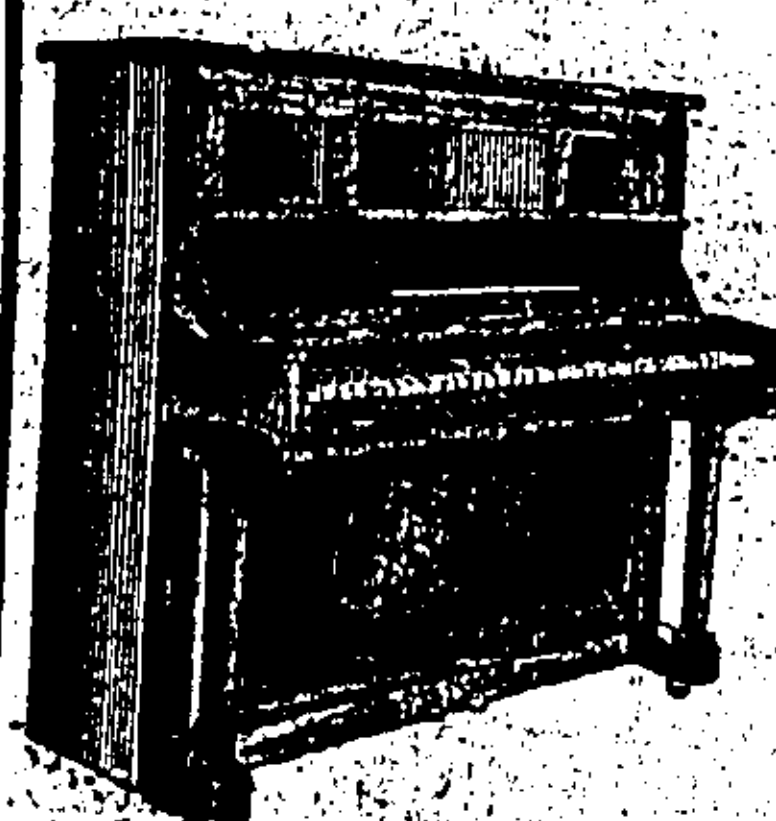
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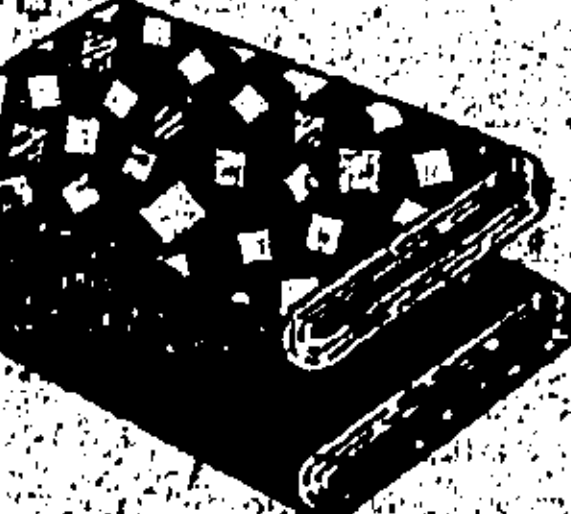


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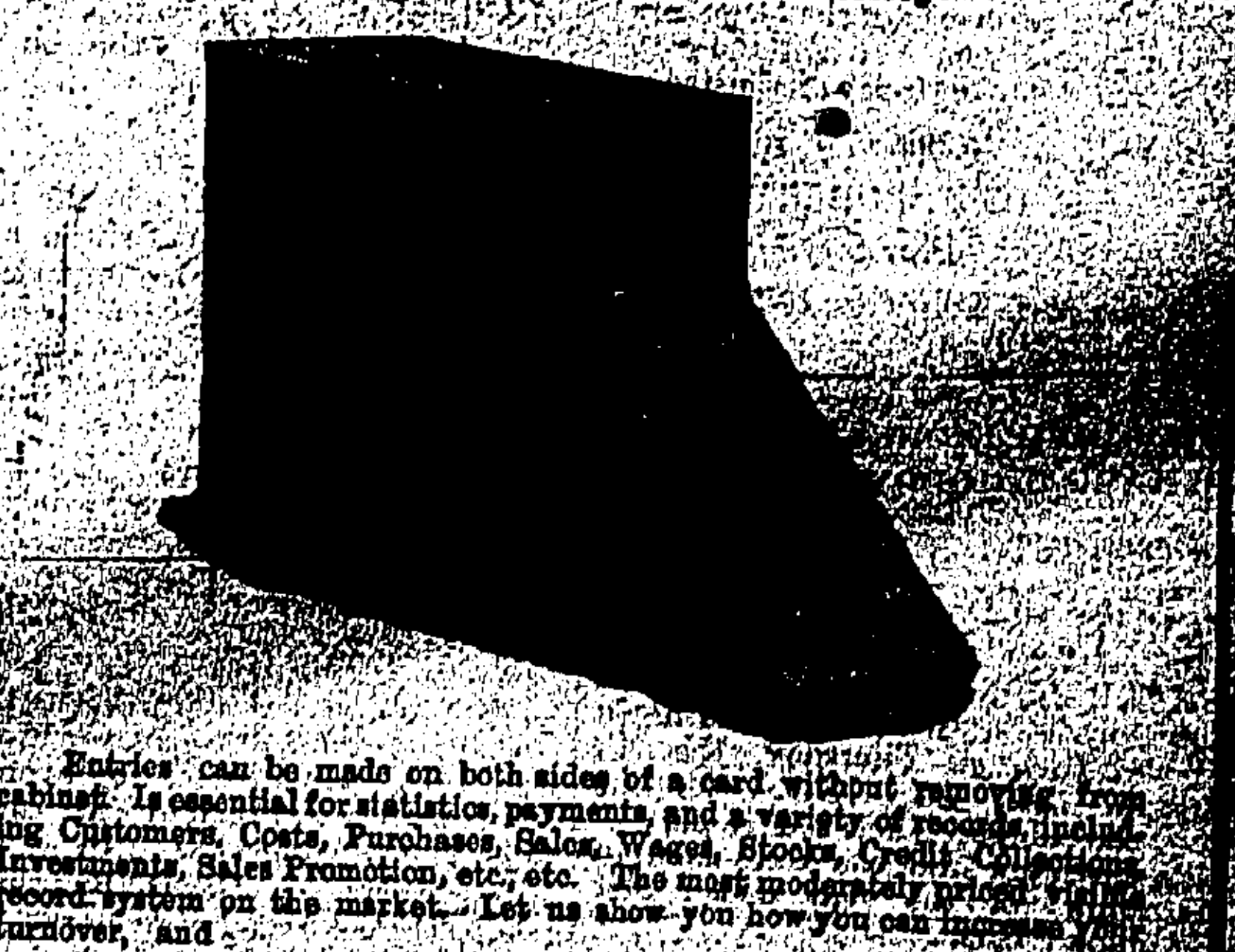


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DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Second Extra Race Meeting to be held on SATURDAY, 18th MARCH, 1933 (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Race Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 9th MARCH, 1933.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

THE HONG KONG BRANCH OF THE ENGLISH ASSOCIATION.

The Fifth Meeting of the Session 1932-3 will be held in the Helena May Institute,

On TUESDAY, MARCH 7 (TO-MORROW)

at 6.30 P.M.

Mrs. P. E. BARKER, M.A. will speak on

"COVENTRY PATMORE"

C. E. R. CLARABUT,
Hon. Sec. and Treasurer,
The University. [529]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Goods of WILLIAM JOHN WHITE, late of THE NAVY, STRAITS SETTLEMENTS, H. M. DOCKYARD, VICTORIA, in the Colony of HONG KONG, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of the Provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897, made an order limiting the time for Creditors and Others to send in their Claims against the above Estate to the 29th MARCH, 1933.

All Creditors and Others are accordingly hereby required to send their Claims to the Under-signed on or before that date.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company 3rd Floor No. 7, Duddell Street, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, 8th March, 1933, at 3 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 24th February to 8th March, 1933, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
C. DE S. ROBERTSON,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 20th February, 1933. [476]

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THE FORTY-SIXTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on Thursday, the 9th March, 1933, AT NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from Wednesday, the 1st March, 1933, to Thursday, the 8th March, 1933, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
F. H. CRAPNELL,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 21st February, 1933. [476]

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MARRIAGE.

CARNEGIE-HANNUM.—Rev. and Mrs. William Hamilton Hannum announce the marriage of their daughter FLORENCE JANE, to Mr. JAMES CARNEGIE, JR., which took place on Wednesday, Feb. 22, 1933, at Shanghai.

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The Daily Press.

HONG KONG, MARCH 6, 1933.

BRITAIN'S FINANCIAL POSITION

In view of the alarming news from America—a trying time indeed for a new President to take office—a glance at some of the British financial statistics for the year 1932 should be reassuring. In the early part of the year figures begin to accumulate in London showing with what success the previous year's trade has been attended. One of the earliest of these batches of figures, and certainly one of the most important, is that issued on the first day of the year by the London Bankers' Clearing House. For those who may be unaware what this institution is, it may be said that it "clears," or exchanges and cashes, the cheques and bills of all the important banks in England and Wales—the banks of Scotland and Ireland having their own institutions. To the London Clearing House belong the "Big Five" banks, that is the five largest banks of Great Britain and five other smaller but also important banks, these ten banks controlling over nine-tenths of the banking of England and Wales. It follows therefore that the annual report of the London Bankers' Clearing House is the most authoritative guide to the banking industry of the United Kingdom and to the finance and prosperity of the whole country.

The immense strength of the British banks has often been dwelt on, but in these days of world-wide and devastating depression even the most strongly founded institutions may suffer somewhat. In a community such as Great Britain, in which the overwhelming part of the banking is in comparatively few institutions of great strength, the success, or otherwise, of these institutions is bound to be a reflection of the general trade position. And this is what in fact we do find in the Clearing House returns. The great slump set in in 1929. The

shows that for the third successive year the total turnover of bills, cheques, etc., cleared by this institution has declined on that of the previous year. The total clearings for 1932 were lower than for any year in the last thirteen years, i.e., since 1919, the year immediately succeeding the war.

In 1932 the total value of cheques, etc., cleared was £23,111,659,000, as against £26,235,869,000 for the previous year, a decrease of £4,123,910,000, or 15.3 per cent. Since 1929, which was the year with the highest turnover in the history of the Clearing House, when £44,896,677,000 was cleared, the falling off has been equal to 29.4 per cent.

Such figures, if they stood alone, would be calamitous for Great Britain, but, of course, parallel figures may be seen in every great industrial country. Thus, for example, for the same year, 1932, the drop in New York clearings for the twelve-month ended 30th November, as compared with the same period in 1931, was 39.4 per cent. It must also be remembered that the value of money has changed considerably in the last three years. According to an Index compiled by the London Times the wholesale price of commodities which stood at 128.8 (gold) at the end of 1929 was 103.2 (gold) at the end of the following year, 99.5 (sterling) at the end of 1931 and 94.3 (sterling) at the 31st December last. Such a fall in prices was bound to be reflected, as it is, in the turnover of cheques, etc., cleared. The fall in the price of money, as reflected in the Bank Rate, in the last year has also had its effect on these totals.

An analysis of these returns by quarters of the year reveals some interesting data. Thus, in the first three quarters of last year there were declines on the previous year, respectively, of 25.8, 18.3, and 7.9 per cent., but in the fourth quarter the total showed an increase of 14.8 per cent. This is encouraging as far as it goes, for it shows that the rate of decline in three-quarters of the year was a steadily diminishing one and that in October-December there was a substantial increase. No undue optimism must be created on this foundation, for the improvement in the fourth quarter is probably due to the Government's debt conversion scheme. This, of course, entailed the passing of a substantial sum of money through the banks. The highest daily figure, indeed, was for 1st December last, when the Government paid off the unconverted 5 per cent. War Loan and received a call of £21 per cent. on the new Conversion Loan.

A further light on the trade position is yielded by dividing these clearing figures into metropolitan and provincial clearings. The metropolitan clearings reflect fairly clearly the wholesale and retail business of London. These show only a shrinkage of 3.4 per cent. as compared with the 11.3 per cent. for the whole country, already cited. Here, while there were heavy decreases in the first three quarters of the year, there was actually a fair increase in the fourth quarter of 2.3 per cent.

WILL DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE FAIL?

Serious View Taken By British Press.

BRITISH PREMIER GOING TO GENEVA

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, March 4

THE British Government's decision that the Prime Minister and the Foreign Secretary should go to the Disarmament Conference as soon as a convenient date was taken after the report had been received of the proceedings at the conference from the Foreign Under-Secretary, Captain Anthony Eden, who had returned from Geneva specially to give Government a full account of the proceedings there.

Capt. Eden is returning to Geneva this week-end and will continue to lead the British delegation until the arrival of the senior Ministers.

His valuable services during the past few weeks are the subject of much commendation from his Ministerial colleagues and the Press.

There is a strong impression in responsible London quarters that if failure of the Disarmament Conference is to be avoided, definite success must be achieved in the near future and that for this purpose fresh, and determined initiative is essential.

Far-reaching Consequences.

The far-reaching consequences of failure are fully realised in London and it is urgently desired that other governments will co-operate in avoiding such disaster, and in giving fresh impetus to the vital cause of disarmament.

The date of the departure of the Prime Minister and Foreign Secretary to Geneva is as yet not known, but it is hoped leading representatives of other governments will be able to take decisions and will attend Geneva at the same time so that no delay need be incurred in achieving results which are held to be so essential.

Press Comment.

The Government's announcement is generally welcomed by the Press. The Times considers it would be disastrous if the form of agreed limitation were reached, and individual states reverted to tragic rivalry of competitive armaments.

The Manchester Guardian declares that failure of the Disarmament Conference would hopelessly prejudice the World Economic Conference.

The Manchester Guardian, in common with several other journals, urges especially the importance of achieving results in conference.

The Morning Post says: "No secret is made in well-informed quarters in London of the apprehension with which the Government realize the consequences of a possible breakdown. Chief among these is a dangerous and unregulated race in armaments which, it is realized, must ensue from the known intention of Germany to re-arm unless an agreement is reached at the conference."

The Daily Herald says the feeling in Geneva is that the Franco-German deadlock might be resolved, given only a reasonable amount of good-will.

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★ News and Views ★

Babbling Innocence!

Tokyo has moved to prohibit child witnesses in criminal cases. Most parents are seldom concerned over what Johnnie may disclose to a court, but are often concerned over what he may be babbling, with or without cross-examination, to the neighbours.

Geeses!

A party of Czechoslovakian bailiffs, sized the 500 geeses of a village that did not pay its taxes and tried in vain to sell them in other villages, to which the news has spread. In despair they stored the big flock in an improvised pen for a week and struggled with a question baffling to bailiffs: Should one look inside or outside the pen to find the bigger geeses?

Open to Misunderstanding.

The following comes from an officer on the North-West Frontier of India: Outside a photographer's shop in Razmak hangs a large sign-board embossed in gold on which, after the owner's name, appear in silver the letters "B.F." On being asked the meaning the proprietor explained "I am the Brigade photographer, sir."

Community Drama.

Britain's debt to the British Drama League is a heavy one. Entries from 650 societies for the National Festival of Community Drama may not appear, at first sight, to be of particular importance. But that total is only a percentage of the sum of local drama activities. And when one considers how strong is the temptation, born of broadcasting and films, to let the leisure hours slip by in passive reception of what is offered for our entertainment, the growth of community drama is heartening beyond measure.

Are Americans Thirsty?

Says a U.S. paper, a stout upholder of the Drys: Holland, with plenty of liquor, finds drinking steadily falling off. In 1912 Holland drank 10 gallons to the man, in 1932 only 6. Yet the United States Congress assumes to say how much liquor a generation suddenly released from prohibition will swallow. The fight has been between wets who say the Average American hankers for hooch and must have it, and the drys who say he hankers because both sides say he does? What if, after all this tax tapping programme, a great tragedy should follow? What if the same, silent Average American should show that he isn't thirsty?

Local and General

Three cases of small-pox, one of diphtheria and two meningitis were reported on Friday.

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Diocesan and Missionary Association, Hongkong, will take place at the Cathedral Hall at 5.15 p.m. to-day.

The Hong Kong branch of the English Association meets at the Helena May Institute at 5.30 p.m. to-morrow when Mrs. P. E. Barker will speak on "Coventry Patmore."

St. John Ambulance Brigade, announce that the number of persons vaccinated—free of charge—by Members of the Ambulance Brigade, up to and including Thursday, March 2 totals 213,065.

An unknown Chinese committed suicide yesterday morning by jumping from the top floor of the boarding-house "at No. 8, Connaught Road. He has not yet been identified, but it is believed by the Police that he came from Canton.

The annual sports meeting of the Kowloon Junior School will be held to-morrow at the K.C.C. Ground, commencing at 10.30 a.m. Mrs. J. R. Wood will distribute the prizes. Parents and friends of the pupils are cordially invited to be present.

There will be a Full band Practice at Volunteer Headquarters on Friday next, March 10. The Adjutant asks all members of the Band to make every effort to attend in view of the forthcoming inspection by the General Officer Commanding.

A Chinese prisoner, who was arrested after a murderous attack on a fellow tenant at 120, Bonham Strand, committed suicide in Victoria Gaol on Saturday morning. He was found by a warder hanging by a rope made from his trousers, from the rails of the cell.

Convicted on a charge of being in unlawful possession of an automatic pistol, a Chinese and his convict wife were sentenced to six months and three months' imprisonment, respectively, at Central Magistracy on Saturday. It was stated that the defendants were arrested at the Tung On Wharf on Friday night.

Perspective.

One of London's evening papers recently carried an advertisement of a morning contemporary—a vast, expanse of white with, in the middle, this announcement: "This is the greatest newspaper in the world."

In a small village in the Jura Mountains the one eating house is labelled large: Le café du milieu du monde.

U.S. Flirts with Free Trade!

Bayoglu, Turk.—Important commercial advantages are given to American trade under a new agreement concluded. Under this accord, the United States will be able to send to Turkey, free of restrictions, an amount of goods equal to what the United States buys from Turkey. This is expected to mean the doubling of American sales in Turkey. Automobiles and machinery generally will profit greatly.

Kenya Quenchers.

An advertisement in the Mount Kenya Review is headed "Three Good Drinks," and goes on to name them—"Tusker" (the drink with which to quench your thirst), "Jumbo" (the drink to take when you need a pick-me-up), "Nguvu" (the drink to take at sundown time). Congratulations to Kenya! No imported American highball names for her, but downright original local labels. "Tusker," doubtless with the strength of a rogue elephant, "Jumbo," similarly kick-ful, and the mellow "Nguvu," sounding like a soft sunset wind, the first coolth of evening.

Rural Scotland.

Perth, Scotland.—Revival of a rural outlook in Scottish education, as opposed to the present predominant urban conception, was urged by a number of delegates at the annual congress of the Educational Institute of Scotland here.

A warlike against concentrating the Scottish nation in towns was issued by Mr. A. N. Skelton, M.P., Undersecretary of State for Scotland. He called on teachers to rekindle "rural-mindedness," and advised them to study the educational structure of Denmark in this connection.

He pointed out that in England and Wales, 63 per cent. of the people were at work in towns. One of the legacies of the nineteenth century which needed disposing of, he said, was that there was something specially advantageous in urban occupation, life and outlook.

A farewell dinner in honour of the Chief Justice, Sir Joseph Kemp, K.C., and the Hon. Mr. E. H. Hadfield, C.M.G., Secretary for Chinese Affairs will be given by their Chinese friends at the Kam Ling Hotel, on Tuesday, March 14 at 8 p.m.

Draft programmes and entry forms for the second extra race meeting to be held on Saturday, March 18, may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hongkong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Village Road.

The 9th Annual Indian Empire and Crown Colonies Garden Party will be held at the Hurlingham Club on Monday, July 3 when the usual brilliant concourse of civilians and officers engaged in the administration and policing of the scattered dominions will foregather in social fashion in the Capital.

The Government Gazette notifies that the Recreation Grounds Committee will consist of the following: The Chairman, The Director of Public Works, The Colonial Secretary, The Director of Education, One Representative each from the Royal Naval Recreation Club, Hong Kong Area Sports Board (Army), Hong Kong Football Association, Hong Kong Jockey Club, Hong Kong Football Club, Hong Kong Cricket Club, Kowloon Cricket Club, Hong Kong Hockey Club, Royal Hong Kong Golf Club, Hong Kong Polo Club, Club de Recreio, Hong Kong Chinese Recreation Club, Indian Recreation Club, Y.M.C.A.

The Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals, Bonham Road, are holding their annual pound sale on Friday March 10, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mrs. L. R. Wood from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. The Hospitals will be open for inspection and visitors will be welcome. The Committee will be giving the following suggestions for gifts: Cotton Wool, Lin: Hot Water bottles, Grates, Antiplogia, Patent barley, Benger's Food, Condensed milk, Benger's Food, Evaporated milk, Benger's Food, Yellow soap, Meat, Juice, Carbolite soap, Marmite, Monkey soap.

The London Chamber of Commerce estimates that the losses involved in a London fog exceed £1,000,000 every day it lasts. The losses include damage to merchandise, delays in traffic, suspension of business, cost of artificial lighting, illness, and the safeguarding of shipping and railways. The death rate in a London fog rises by one sixth. Fogs which are largely preventable by better methods of coal consumption are due to the condensation of warm water vapour entering a cold layer of air, upon minute particles of soot and dust.

SUMMARY OF NEWS

General.

Armed police are patrolling the streets of Berlin assisted by Nazi auxiliaries, but there is otherwise little election manifestation.

A declaration that he will ask war-time powers if necessary, was made by Pres. Roosevelt in his inaugural speech, on Saturday.

Far East.

Referring to the situation in the Far East, M. Saito declared there is not a single reason for uneasiness in the Netherlands Indies.

The largest drug haul in the past ten years was made in Shanghai on Saturday.

News of latest developments in Jehol will be found on Page 8.

Local.

The rules and regulations for the Court of Criminal Appeal, as contained in a draft bill published in the Government Gazette, appear on Page 6.

A full account of Saturday's Racing, which was notable for a number of surprises appears on Page 2.

In local football matches the surprise on Saturday was the defeat of the Lincolns by the R.A. in the senior shield. Full results on Page 10.

Local cricket results on Page 10. I.R.C. beat Craigengower by 7 wickets and the University beat the Army by 2 wickets, in the First Division of the League. Page 10.

The amalgamation of the associations doing medical work in the New Territories was announced at the annual dance, on Saturday of the new St. John's Ambulance New Territories. Medical Benevolent Branch. Page 6.

A slight decline in the results of the year's working was reported by the Hon. Sir Shou Sen Chow (Chairman) presiding at the fourteenth ordinary yearly meeting of the Bank of East Asia, Limited, held at the Bank's Offices on Saturday. Page 12.

The Diocesan Girls' School held their prize-giving on Saturday. The Bishop of Victoria was the guest of honour. Page 7.

from the files.

LOOKING BACK 75 YEARS

The Friend of China, in taking up the cudgels for his friend the ex-Portuguese Consul of Ningpo, pursues the course best calculated to blind the public and screen that functionary. The mal-practices existing during the ex-consul's administration had become so atrocious and notorious as to cause him to appeal to the Press of this Colony in order to exculpate himself by verbose, frivolous and expert misrepresentations. We did not drag this gentleman before the public. He appeared voluntarily by letter, by article and by pamphlet. With the broad facts before us, we were all along convinced of the sophistry of the arguments adduced in the defence.—Hong Kong Daily Press, March 6, 1933.

LOOKING BACK 50 YEARS

The following extract from an article on Chinese charms is of interest here:—On the 15th day of the 5th moon springs and cuttings accurs calamus, and a plant called by the Chinese gao are placed at the doors of houses to prevent all manner of evil from entering. The peach charm consists of a sprig of that tree covered with blossoms, which at the New Year is placed at the doorways for the same purpose as the foregoing. The bottle gourd, a curious species of the Cucurbitus, closely resembling a bottle, is represented on ornaments as an emblem of longevity.—Hong Kong Daily Press, March 6, 1933.

Looking Back 25 Years.

Mr. J. K. McPherson has a very interesting account of a trip which he made up the North River to Hankow at the Y.M.C.A. rooms on Saturday night. His lecture, which was illustrated with beautiful lime light effects, was much enjoyed.—Hong Kong Daily Press, March 6, 1908.

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WILL AMERICA GO OFF GOLD STANDARD?

EMBARGO ON GOLD EXPORTS MAY BE INTRODUCED

BANK "HOLIDAY" DECLARED THROUGHOUT AMERICA

SPECIAL CONGRESS TO DISCUSS BANKING LEGISLATION

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

NEW YORK, March 5.

If the declaration of a bank holiday in Delaware, all forty-eight States and the district of Columbia are operating on a moratorium or restricted withdrawal.

North Carolina and South Carolina are operating with minor restrictions, and Columbia is limiting withdrawals. In other States the banks are closed.

A message from Washington states that Mr. Roosevelt summoned all Democratic Congressional leaders on Sunday to fix a date for an extra session of Congress, while Mr. Woodin, Secretary to the Treasury, has summoned members of the Federal Reserve Board and businessmen to confer, also on Sunday. It is believed they will discuss banking legislation which the new Administration is drafting.

The New York American's financial editor asserts that Washington is considering an embargo on gold exports as a first step of its banking stabilisation programme; while the Daily News reports, on excellent authority, that the banking legislation will involve inflation.

The fact that the Secretary of State, Mr. Hull, attended financial conferences held at Washington is regarded, says the Associated Press Washington correspondent, as indicating definitely that a gold embargo is being considered.

SCHEME TO FACILITATE BUSINESS

The New York Clearing House announces that member banks use Clearing House certificates instead of currency to facilitate the conduct of business during the moratorium. The certificates, which will be ready on March 6, are paper based on bank deposits and in effect are currency jointly issued by a group of banks. Such a medium has not been used since 1907.

New York, Chicago and six other Reserve Banks, but excluding Cleveland and Richmond, closed on account of bank holidays. The New York Reserve Bank has closed in order to check withdrawals of gold for hoarding or export. The Sub-Treasury was open but paid out only \$5,000 in gold bars against gold notes.

Communist demonstrations on Inauguration Day occurred in a few centres. Communists at Detroit paraded and demanded the immediate payment of small deposits. Unemployed Communists in Chicago went to the City Hall and demanded cash relief for food. Police and "Reds" battled in the heart of Pittsburgh, sixteen being arrested.

"Speakeasies" Hard Hit

New Yorkers have accepted the Bank holiday good-naturedly. There is little excitement, but thousands of depositors, some weeping, gathered in front of the closed banks which are guarded by extra police.

Among the hardest hit were the "speakeasies," hitherto favourite places for cash cheques, and the family coin clearing house for alimony payments where estranged wives formed a queue awaiting their sole sustenance hitherto paid by cheque.

One Broadway cinema accepted cheques. Hotels became quasi-bankers, cashing cheques for the guests.

EMERGENCY DECREE IN JAPAN

Tokyo, March 5

An emergency conference of leading bankers has decided to suspend all operations on foreign exchanges tomorrow, owing to the American situation.

Financial Markets Closed

New York, March 5

South Carolina is the only State now not affected by the moratorium or restricted withdrawals. All financial and commodity markets throughout the United States have closed.

Bank Holiday in New York

New York, March 4

A two-day bank holiday has been declared in New York State and a three-day bank holiday in Illinois State.

Governor Lehman has cancelled his inaugural trip to Washington, owing to the bank crisis.

Bankers have met in an all-day conference, and one group is still in session with the Federal Reserve Bank.

Governor Lehman, en route to Washington, said that he did not contemplate the declaration of a banking holiday in New York State.

"Neither have I been asked to declare one," he added. 5 Per Cent. Available to Depositors. Authorisation for banks to limit withdrawals, has been made in the States of North Carolina and Virginia.

The Governor of Kansas has proclaimed a 5 per cent. limit for withdrawals throughout the State.

London Stock Markets

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE]

RUGBY, March 4.

As the result of developments in the banking situation in the United States, where bank holidays have been declared in a great number of States, including New York and Chicago, the London Bankers Committee has decided that there should be no dealing in foreign currencies to-day.

The London Stock Exchange has adopted a waiting policy regarding the American situation and little business was passing in any direction.

No sterling quotation on New York was available this morning.

MAYOR CERMAK HAS RELAPSE

MIAMI, March 5.

The condition of Mayor Cermak is again critical.

PARAGUAY TO DECLARE WAR ON BOLIVIA

ASUNION, March 4.

AFTER six months fighting in the Gran Chaco region, the Paraguayan Senate has authorised the Government to declare war against Bolivia.

MEN IN HOLY ORDERS

SHORTAGE REMAINS ACUTE.

The Church needs "men, more men, and yet more men," it is declared in the preface to the sixty-second issue of Crockford's Clerical Directory, published by the Oxford University Press.

It is pointed out that, while the population has doubled in the last sixty-four years, the number of assistant curates has remained stationary.

"We have no exact figures before us," it is stated, "but we understand that the number of candidates for Holy Orders has increased during the last twelve months. Some dioceses appear to be getting as many men as they can absorb, but we hope that this will not be understood to mean that the crisis is past, and that the supply of clergy will very soon be adequate."

WASHINGTON CONFERENCE RUMOURS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

WASHINGTON, March 4.

PRESIDENT Roosevelt's visit to Mr. Hoover was attended by Mr. Ogden Mills, Secretary of the Treasury, Dr. Moley, President Roosevelt's economic adviser, and Mr. Eugene Meyer, President of the Federal Reserve Board.

President Roosevelt subsequently saw a number of political and financial leaders while Mr. Hoover was closeted with Mr. Mills.

These emergency conferences have started numerous rumours. One is to the effect that President Roosevelt and Mr. Hoover have considered the possible abandonment of gold payments or an embargo on gold exports.

None of the rumours are confirmable, as the meeting was private and no statement was issued.

After the conference Mr. Lehman announced that the spread of hysteria, and the restrictions imposed on the banking facilities of the country by the measures taken in so many States, had at last placed on New York banks a burden so great that it finally rendered drastic action here imperative.

It is assumed that the New York Stock Exchange and all other markets will also be closed.

The States of Missouri and Iowa have proclaimed bank holidays while Wyoming and South Carolina are limiting withdrawals. When the Illinois banks reopen on Wednesday, the withdrawals will be limited to 5 per cent.

HUNTERS OF NOTORIETY

Chief Scout And Record-Breakers

ATTACK ON GAMBLING CRAZE

Notoriety-hunting was attacked by Lord Baden-Powell in the course of his Alfred Frupp lecture at University College, London.

"We see in these days," he declared, "the feverish endeavour going on among men and women to beat records, and so to gain fame and notoriety."

"Before attaining it they seem to think that this means success. When they have won it they find that it does not bring happiness but only leads to further restless, unsatisfied hunting for more."

"There is," he said, "a craze in the nation from top to bottom to get rich and to get rich quickly, if possible through a lucky chance in the sweepstakes or tote club or Stock Exchange. Why work when by a lucky win you may make thousands if is the notion."

He defended the youth of to-day against the charge that they are unwilling to learn from their elders. "Quite the contrary," he said. "They appeal to one of their own initiative, and are grateful for such advice as one is able to give them."

Arguing that health is not essential to happiness, he said, "I have seen crippled Scouts content with their lot and positively happy because they were able to make toys for 'happy' children less well off than themselves."

From Heaven to Japan

Lord Baden-Powell further explained how he came to travel. He once had a dream in which he arrived at the gate of Heaven, and was asked by St. Peter how he liked Japan.

On reply that he had never been there, St. Peter said to him: "My dear fellow, what were you doing with your opportunities? You were put in that earth full of beauties and wonders for your enjoyment, and you seem to have wasted your time sitting still and neglecting them. Go back quickly and have another try."

So he awoke, took a ticket to Japan, and got to realise what a wonderful world it was when one mixed with one's fellow-men.

Lisbon, February 22.—Portugal's oldest woman, Madame Rosaria Lima, died today aged 117. Sanora Lima achieved fame in the middle of the last century as the mistress of Portugal's most famous bandit Brando, who terrorised the country for a number of years. Later she appeared on a music hall stage and related her experiences as a bandit bride, remaining popular until an advanced age.

ELECTION FEVER IN GERMANY

Hitler's Last Appeal To The Country

BRISK POLLING REPORTED IN BERLIN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

BERLIN, March 5.

ARMED police are patrolling the streets assisted by Nazi auxiliaries. Aeroplanes flying Nationalist streamers, are roaring overhead otherwise there is little election manifestation.

Contrary to previous elections, Communist and Socialist flags have disappeared from the city. No disorders have so far been reported and polling is brisk.

"Greetings from E. Prussia."

KOENIGSBERG, March 5.

Greetings from East Prussia, "where the flames of German freedom have always been lit," was broadcast by Herr Hitler from an aeroplane in which he flew over the Polish corridor, en route to make his final election appeal here.

He was greeted on arrival by wild cheering by excited crowds in torch-light processions and the ringing of church bells.

Herr Hitler denounced the "War Guilt Lie" pacifism an internationalism. He blamed the world as being responsible for Germany's distress by failing to keep its promises, and declared that Marxists had built up their programme on a heap of lies.

He concluded by appealing to Germans to sink class differences and unite in a fight for liberty and endeavour to rebuild a proud Germany.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON PRICES

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 4.

FOLLOWING ARE THE SILVER QUOTATIONS ON THE LONDON MARKET TO-DAY:

SPOT 17s 4d Mar. 3
FORWARD 17s 3d Mar. 3

REMOVAL OF RENT RESTRICTIONS

HOUSE OWNERS WELCOME GOVT. BILL

Viscount Hereford, in his presidential address to the annual conference of the National Federation of Property Owners and Ratepayers in London, said that since the War the property owner had been unable to move because of the barred fence of restriction.

For the first time in the last fourteen years the legislature was taking a big step in the right direction. The new Rent Bill foreshadowed total decontrol in 1938. "We welcome those provisions," Lord Hereford said, "which make it easier for a landlord to recover possession, and which at long last give him control over tenants who, by sub-letting and letting in lodgings, are creating slum conditions which form a blot on our national life."

He expressed the view that the present year would see a rift in the overhanging clouds of industrial depression, and the dawn of a new era.

Building Held Up

A feature of the fifth census of production with regard to the building and contracting trades, published in the "Board of Trade Journal," is that in 1929 a total of £18,074,000 was spent on public buildings, apart from homes and factories, compared with £8,782,000 in 1924.

Mr. H. B. Bryant, Secretary of the Building Industries National Council, stated yesterday that there were signs of the desire of local authorities to have building work put in hand.

"Unfortunately," he added, "the £24,000,000 worth of work about to be put in hand is a mere nothing compared with the £25,000,000, which it is estimated is still being held up by restrictions on the powers of local authorities to spend on constructive and remunerative work."

Electricity is the driving power of a new model motor-car intended for children. It has all the fitting gear—self-starter, lamps, and horn—of the real article costs £30, and is intended for use in gardens and private grounds only.

JAPANESE TROOPS NEAR GREAT WALL

CHAHAR PROVINCE TO JOIN MANCHUKUO?

CHANG HSUEH LIANG ORDERED TO RESIST JAPANESE

GEN. TANG YU LIN FLEES WITH HIS BODYGUARD

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

Tokyo, March 5.

AFTER a sharp encounter at daybreak at Huangchin, the Japanese continued to press their pursuit of the Chinese from Ping-tuan and have reached Tienmen, ten kilometres from the pass through the Great Wall at Hailuoguo. Press despatches from Jehol City declare that the Chahar Province is expected to declare its independence from China shortly and join the Manchukuo.

NANKING, March 5.

It is learned that the Government has despatched instructions to Chang Hsueh Liang ordering the defence of the Great Wall and continued resistance to the Japanese.

ARREST OF TANG YU LIN ORDERED

PEIPING, March 4.

An order has been issued for the arrest of Tang Yu Lin, who will undoubtedly be executed if he is caught.

Chang Hsueh Liang is furious at the collapse of Chinese resistance round Jehol. He has ordered the sealing up of various passes as to compel Chinese troops to resist the Japanese. Volunteers attempting to get through will be shot.

Tang Yu Lin is believed to be at Luanpingshan, west of Jehol, but outside the Great Wall.

Fall of Jehol City.

Tokyo, March 4. Jehol City was occupied at 11.30 this morning. The Chinese troops are reported to be in full retreat; and at noon were retiring south through the two passes of Hailuoguo and Chiehlingkou across the Great Wall.

Brigade East of Jehol City.

Tokyo, Later.

It is reported that the Kawahara Brigade vanguard passed Tung-changtau, 2 miles eastward of Jehol City at 8.20 a.m., continuing the pursuit.

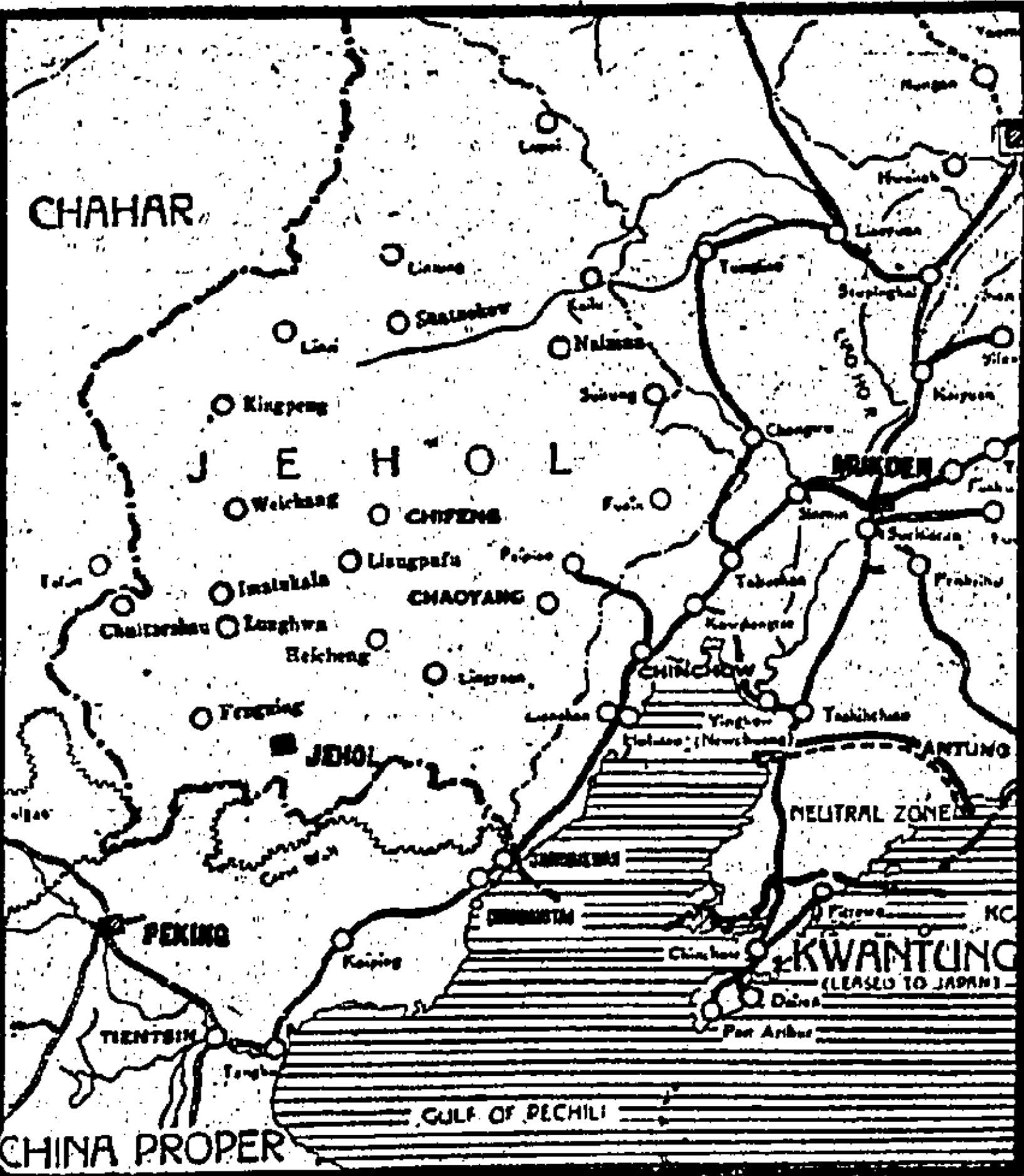
Japanese Spies Executed

Tokyo, March 4.

Chinese official communicates this morning complaint of a vast number of Chinese traitors sent into Jehol by the Japanese as spies to out the Chinese communications.

Twenty of these spies are reported to have been caught and summarily executed.

Snowstorms are now visiting almost the entire province (Jehol) and it seems very doubtful whether the line from Pingtuan to Sataokow will play any part at all.



The above map shows the country in which the present Sino-Japanese skirmishes are taking place.

A message from Chinchow states that following the occupation of Jehol City the Chinese are reported to have fled in confusion, mostly to the south-west, though some are reported to have fled north in the direction of Lungshu, including General Tang Yu Lin with his personal bodyguard.

Report Confirmed

PEIPING, March 4. The Chinese authorities admit the fall of Jehol City this morning, also that General Tang Yu Lin is fleeing from the city.

Tokyo, March 4.

The Japanese halted their pursuit at Linkou, on the Great Wall, at noon.

Tokyo, Earlier.

No news has been received yet regarding the capture of Jehol City.

It is learned, however, that the vanguard of the Kawahara Brigade, according to the latest report, was battling its way towards Jehol City from Pingtuan in a raging snow storm, which was hampering aerial reconnaissance, although the Japanese aircraft, despite the blizzard, were attempting to reconnoitre the Chinese positions around the city.

Tientsin Withdrawal Demand

Tokyo, March 4.

The War Office knows nothing of the alleged Japanese demand for the withdrawal of Chinese troops from Tientsin.

NANKING, March 4.

With reference to the Tokyo message stating that the Japanese War Office knows nothing of the Japanese alleged demands at Tientsin, a Chinese spokesman says that the Japanese Consul-General at Tientsin sent three communications to Yu Hsueh Chung in regard to the withdrawal of the Chinese troops from Tientsin.

Siam Neutral.

London, March 4.

A communique issued from the Siam Legation declares that it is the Government's policy to remain neutral in the Sino-Japanese controversy. For this reason their representative at Geneva abstained from voting on the League Assembly resolution.

Rumours that Government is acting as an agent for Japan in the purchase of arms, or is in any way aiding Japan, are entirely without foundation.

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ARMS EMBARGO CONDEMNED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

LONDON, March 4.

A DEMAND for the removal of the arms embargo is made in a leading article in the Daily Mail to-day. The Daily Express similarly condemns the embargo as futile.

The Times, commenting on the decision of the Premier, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, and the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, to go to Geneva, emphasises the necessity for consolidation on every possible point in the agreement if the failure of the Disarmament Conference is to be avoided.

Meanwhile, one of the tasks of Captain Anthony Eden, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs on his return to Geneva, will be to push forward the formation of a sub-committee, on the embargo of arms to the Far East.

The Times recalls that Sir John Simon stipulated, when the embargo was announced, the necessity for international action, and states that, if Britain's lead is not followed, the whole question will have to be reconsidered.

DRUGS SEIZED IN SHANGHAI

LARGEST HAUL IN TEN YEARS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

SHANGHAI, March 4.

ONE of the most important drug seizures in Shanghai for the past ten years was made to-day, when the Police, following the arrest of a Chinese chauffeur carrying 300 lbs. of narcotics, raided the operating base of a powerful drug ring, which, for years, has managed to carry on its nefarious work.

The base of the ring's operations is an innocent looking goldown in Avenue Foch and contained an elaborate laboratory with a most up-to-date manufacturing plant. Large quantities of narcotics were seized in the course of the raid.

The eight Chinese who were arrested will come up for trial on Monday.

A SCHOOLBOY "BOOKIE"

SHOCKS FOR CHURCH INQUIRY

Gambling among Sunday school scholars is referred to in a report which has just been discussed by the Rosendale (Lancs) Sunday School Union.

The report is that of a committee set up by the Union largely as a result of evidence given before the commission on lotteries and betting by Mr. J. S. Hardman, secretary of the Union.

The report shows that: Church members, prominent religious workers, a local preacher, and a member of the Sunday School Union committee had shares in the Irish sweepstake.

In one Union Sunday School members of the men's class spent one afternoon during the teacher's absence, comparing duplicates of the previous day's football coupons.

Betting takes place on Sunday School football matches, and even on the football School Union league games, principally among spectators, but also among players.

Members of Sunday School men's classes are reported to gamble and play cards for money in outside institutions.

Sunday School scholars are sometimes sent by their parents to carry betting slips.

Day teachers sell tickets for draws and sweepstakes among scholars in local secondary schools.

The name of one boy bookmaker is stated, is known to the committee.

Chinese Envoy Calls at Foreign Office

LONDON, March 5.

Mr. Chang, the Chinese Charge d'Affaires, called at the Foreign Office this morning and had a long conversation with Sir V. Wellesley, Deputy Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

It is understood that the latest news from Jehol, and the British arms embargo were further discussed during the visit.

WEEK-END SPORTING ACTIVITIES

I. R. C. CRICKETERS IN FINE FETTER

CHAMPIONS DISMISS CRAIGENGOWER C.C. FOR 37: VICTORY BY 7 WICKETS

UNIVERSITY ACCOUNTS FOR ARMY AT POKFULAM

Two very interesting first division league matches were decided on Saturday when the Indians met Craigengower and the University met the Army.

The Champions had little difficulty in getting full points from Craigengower, Pereira and Minu being in great fettle, and skittled the Happy Valley side for 37. In all twenty overs were bowled, twelve of which were maidens! Pereira took five wickets for 10 runs and Minu five for 18. The Indians passed their opponents' total with seven wickets to spare.

The University, the Indian R.C.'s closest rivals, also obtained full points in their game with the Army at Pokfulam. The visitors batted first and compiled 143 of which Capt. Williams was responsible for 70. The University replied by making 145 for the loss of 8 wickets.

INDIANS' REVERSE IN SECOND DIVISION

The Indian R.C. lost three valuable points in the second division when they were at home to Craigengower and this will probably mean that the destination of the shield will lie between Craigengower, the H.K.C.C. and the Kowloon C.C., all of whom are now in a better position than the Indians. The University went down to the Royal Engineers and Signals at Sookunpoo, while the Police are asserting themselves by adding another victory to their list, this time at the expense of the Navy.

League I.

C.C.C. v. I.R.C.

At Happy Valley the Indian Recreation Club beat Craigengower C.C. by 7 wickets.

Scores:—

C.C.C.	I.R.C.
E. Zimmerman, b Pereira	0
A. Hunt, c Ismail, b A.R. Minu	2
S. V. Gittins, b Pereira	4
H. P. Lim, b Pereira	0
U. M. Omar, st. Ismail, b A. R. Minu	5
R. Lee, b A. R. Minu	4
C. W. Lam, c A. A. Rumjahn, b A. R. Minu	0
A. B. Hanson, c and b Pereira	1
F. Broadbridge, l.b.w., b A. R. Minu	1
Y. Abbas, c Curriem, b Pereira	4
L. Hubbard, not out	0
Extras (B. 5, L.B. 1)	9
Total	37

Bowling Analysis.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Pereira	10.1	7	10	5
A. R. Minu	10	0	18	5

I.R.C.

A. H. Rumjahn, b Omar	0
S. A. Ismail, c Hanson, b Omar	13
H. D. Rumjahn, not out	9
A. R. Minu, b R. Lee	0
A. H. Mader, b Hubbard	18
F. D. Pereira, not out	6
Extras (B. 6, L.B. 1)	4
Total (for 4 wks.)	50

J. S. Curriem, A. K. Minu, A. Baker, A. A. Rumjahn and K. Nazarin did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lee	10	1	23	1
Omar	10	7	10	2
Abbas	1	0	3	0
Hubbard	1	0	8	1

UNIVERSITY v. ARMY

At Pokfulam the University beat the Army by 2 wickets.

Scores:—

Army.	University.
Lt. Stocker, b A. T. Nomanbhoy	2
Lt. Walker, l.b.w. b A. T. Nomanbhoy	4
Lt. Garthwaite, b Gosano	6
Capt. Williams, l.b.w., b Lee	70
Lt. MacFarlane, run out	1
Lt. Cpl. Colledge, c Ride, b Lee	11
Cpl. Nosworthy, c Zimmerman, b Lee	2
Sgt. Taylor, b Gosano	1
Maj. Mackenzie, run out	18
Capt. Mirehouse, b Lee	5
Sgt. Davies, not out	7
Extras (B. 14, N.B. 2)	16
Total	143

Bowling Analysis.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Gosano	14	5	47	3
A. T. Nomanbhoy	11	3	31	2
Lee	11	4	40	4
Wood	2	0	9	0
Bowled two no balls.				

University.	Army.
A. M. Rodrigues, c and b Garthwaite	23
L. T. Ride, c Taylor, b Mirehouse	19
A. T. Lee, l.b.w., b Mirehouse	8

E. L. Gosano, c Colledge, b Garthwaite	31
F. R. Zimmerman, b Stocker	20
H. Nomanbhoy, b Garthwaite	10
P. Power, b Garthwaite	0
S. Reed, c Mackenzie, b Garthwaite	14
A. T. Nomanbhoy, not out	10
Extras (B. 11, L.B. 3)	14
Total (for 8 wks.)	145

A. A. Aziz, E. T. Wood, did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Garthwaite	13	1	48	5
Mirehouse	12	1	54	2
Stocker	2	0	14	1
Taylor	2	0	15	0

League II.

CRAIGENGOWER v. I.R.C.

At Sookunpoo, the Craigengower C.C. beat the Indians by four wickets. Batting first the home team compiled 130 runs, A. R. Abbas being undefeated with 47 runs. The visitors replied with 133 for seven wickets, W. Reed scoring 52 before being beaten while N. B. Mitchell obtained 34.

Sourbuts was the most successful bowler of the match, getting five Indian wickets for 33 runs.

Scores:—
I.R.C.—130 runs.
C.C.C.—138 for 7.

R.E. AND S. v. UNIVERSITY.

Playing at Sookunpoo, the Royal Engineers and Royal Corps of Signals defeated the University by four wickets. Batting first, the undergrads collected only 43, Spr Wells doing the damage and collecting seven wickets for 13 runs.

The soldiers replied by getting the necessary runs with four wickets intact. Hunt took four wickets for the University for 19 runs. The R.E. and S. went on to compile 72 runs in all.

Score:—
University 43 runs.
R.E. and S. 7 for 50 (72 all out).

POLICE v. NAVY.

At Happy Valley, the Police Recreation Club managed to beat the Navy by five wickets. The visitors batted first and scored 104 runs, Henderson being top scorer with 28 while Mr. "Extras" scored 18. The Police, thanks to 38 from King (retired) and 42 from Cary passed their opponents' total for the loss of six wickets. They completed their innings for 158 runs.

Hunter (Police) collected four wickets for 38, while Thompson obtained 3 wickets for 13.

Scores:—
Navy, 104.
Police, 158.

The League Tables

LEAGUE I.	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Indian R.C.	8	5	0	1	45
Hong Kong C.C.	7	4	0	2	35
University	5	4	0	1	32
Kowloon C.C.	5	3	2	0	31
Craigengower C.C.	5	1	2	2	25
Army	4	1	1	2	24
Navy	3	0	2	3	12
Civil Service C.C.	0	0	1	5	1

LEAGUE II.	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Kowloon C.C.	10	6	2	1	21
Hong Kong C.C.	10	5	0	2	20

(Continued on next column.)

HOCKEY

CAER CLARK CUP

Hong Kong Ladies Again Champions

By defeating the "Y" ladies by two goals to nil at King's Park, the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Club have won the Caer Clark Cup for the fourth year in succession.

Although fielding a weakened team of only ten players, the "Y" ladies fought gallantly against their much superior opponents, and the way they held the champions to only two goals came as a surprise.

In the first half, H. Knill gave the Champions the lead, and C. Ferguson added their second goal in the second half.

H.K.L.H.C.—E. M. Gray, B. Franklin, J. Dajiel, B. M. Pope, D. Robertson, H. Knill, M. Alun-Jones, P. M. Harrop, C. Ferguson and J. Churchill.

"Y" Ladies:—L. Owen, Mrs. Portallion, A. Fowler, M. Gardiner, M. Groundwater, P. McCaw, M. Tillery, R. Blackmore, S. Dalziel and O. Brown.

RECREIO v. C.B.A.

In the other Caer Clark Cup match, which was played at King's Park, the Club de Recreio beat the Central British School by 3 goals to one. During the second half Miss A. E. Steele, the Captain of the C.B.A. was the victim of a heart attack, but after about five minutes' rest, pluckily returned to the field.

In the first half, O. Ribeiro opened the score for the Recreio, but within a few minutes M. Smith equalised. Before the interval, however, C. Silva regained the lead for the Recreio.

After the interval, the C.B.A. attacked but could not score owing to the weak shooting of their forwards. The Recreio attacked late in the game, and C. Alves netted for them.

C.B.A.:—K. Fisher, M. Hudson, M. L. Whitley, A. E. Steele, E. M. Beavis, H. Ambrose, G. MacNider, E. Carroll, M. Smith, D. Miles and E. S. Woolley.

Recreio:—B. Almada, O. Osmug, M. Basto, E. Xavier, M. Alves, E. Rosario, B. Remedios, O. Ribeiro, C. Silva, A. Alves and M. Remedios.

Table to Date.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.A.	Pts.
H.K.L.H.C.	7	6	0	1	3	12
Recreio	6	3	1	2	8	8
St. Andrew's	7	2	2	3	7	7
Y. Ladies	6	1	3	2	7	4
C.B.A.	8	1	6	1	5	4

Craigengower C.C.	8	5	3	0	18
Indian R.C.	5	5	1	2	16
Police R.C.	5	5	1	3	16
Navy	9	3	1	5	10
Club de Recreio	10	3	1	6	10
R.E. and S.	6	3	0	3	9
University	9	2	3	4	9
C.S.C.C.	8	1	1	6	4
R.A.S.C.	8	1	0	7	3

Friendly Cricket

H.K.C.C. MARRIED v. SINGLES

An interesting inter-club game between Married members and the bachelors was played on Saturday on the Club ground "The Singles" battled first and obtained 199 runs for 8 wickets, T. A. Pearce being top scorer with 42 runs, while Richardson (33), Harley (29) and Marton (26) contributed towards the big total. The Married Men, however, were equal to the occasion and replied with 127 for 7 wickets. Owen Hughes (44) Bishop (29) and Hancock (22) being the principal scorers.

Back took three wickets for 31 for the singles while Bishop, for the married men too a like number for only 131.

Scores:—
Singles 199 for 8 wickets, dec.
Married 127 for 7.

NAVY v. BORDERERS

The South Wales Borderers visited the Navy ground at King's Park and were beaten by nine wickets. Batting first they compiled 80 runs while the Navy obtained 82 for the loss of two wickets. Capt. Burnett bowling for the Navy obtained five wickets for 13, while S/Lt. Larkin took four wickets for 5 runs.

Borderers, 80.
Navy, 82 for two wickets.

C.S.C.C. II. v. QUEEN'S COLLEGE

The Civil Service C.C. had little difficulty in accounting for Queen's College in a friendly match played on the former's ground. The school boys could only compile 28 runs, and the Civil Service passed this figure with seven wickets to spare. They went on to score 110.

Queen's College, 28.
Civil Service, 110.

H. K. C. C. Tennis Tournament

FIXTURES FOR THIS WEEK

SINGLES SEMI-FINALS DOWN FOR DECISION

BY SALADIN

The most important matches for the current week are the Semi-finals of the Open Singles Championship of the Colony. On Thursday S. A. Rumjahn, the holder, will engage Ho Ka Lau, while on the following day M. W. Lo, 1929 champion, will meet either Lu Tak Cheuk or J. A. Casumbhoy, who may play to-day for the right to occupy the fourth place in the semi-final round. The matches will be the best of five sets.

Although Rumjahn is generally fancied to beat Ho Ka Lau, their meeting will very probably produce a long struggle, as both possess a sound defence, and are experienced tournament players, and for this reason alone the match will be worth watching. The latter's fine victory over E. C. Fincher in the previous round should give him increased confidence when facing the defending champion, and if he can maintain the form he showed, Rumjahn will have to play particularly well to win.

In the other match M. W. Lo is favourite. Of the two contenders Casumbhoy is likely to qualify, but as, unfortunately, his left hand is hurt, Lu Tak Cheuk's prospects of meeting his clubmate have become greater. Lo's fine performance against Tam Yee Fong leads me to believe that he is still difficult to beat, so that I shall be much surprised if he fails to enter the semi-final.

Development in Open Doubles.

By the end of the week, the Open Doubles will have reached the semi-final stage. The most remarkable development in this event is the strong challenge offered by Comdr. Packer and Comdr. Shaw, who are now favourites for the final. They possess good understanding, play aggressively, and have proved to be a strong combination.

On going to press I learn that the tie in the Open Singles between Casumbhoy and Lu Tak Cheuk will not be played to-day. It will be decided to-morrow or Wednesday.

The programme for the week follows:—

MONDAY

Open Doubles.

Comdr. Packer and Comdr. Shaw v. Hazell and Williams.

Club Championship.

Green v. Wild.
Waring v. Wood.

Handicap Singles "A."

L. T. Ride (scr.) v. G. Gamble (scr. 2/0).
R. M. Henderson (rec. 5/8) v. N. Evans (rec. 1/8).
A. C. I. Bowker (rec. 3/8) v. C. F. Hyde (rec. 2/6).

Handicap Singles "B."

N. Lampard (owe 3/6) v. J. H. Mousley (scr.).
E. M. Bryden (rec. 15) v. E. Owen (owe 15).

TUESDAY

Open Doubles.

H. D. Rumjahn and S. A. Rumjahn v. Ng Sze Kwong and Tsui Wai Pui.
L. Goldman and E. C. Fincher v. C. A. Wright and G. Gamble.

Club Championship.

S. E. Green v. H. J. Armstrong.
Handicap Singles "B."
T. C. Monaghan (owe 2/8) v. H. Owen Hughes (owe 2/8).
D. S. Green (owe 1/8) v. A. J. Stocker (owe 1/8) or R. K. Valentine (rec. 3/8).
A. W. Torrible (scr.) v. R. H. Wild (owe 15).

Handicap Doubles.

Lyon and Thomson v. Marton and Evans.

WEDNESDAY

Open Doubles.

J. W. Leonard and Y. Hachiuma v. Lu Tak Cheuk and Lu Tak Lam.

Club Championship.

Hazell v. Gamble.
Cannon v. Waring or Wood.
Newell v. Goldman.

Handicap Doubles.

Valentine and Humphreys v. Bowker and Collis.
Pearce and Ride v. Wood and McBride.

Mixed Doubles.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimble v. Owen Hughes and Mrs. Mackenzie.
Clark and Mrs. Mackie v. Mr. and Mrs. Stark.
Mr. and Mrs. Bryan v. Mr. and Mrs. Hancock.

LOCAL FOOTBALL

SATURDAY'S SHIELD MATCHES

Surprising Defeat of League Leaders

Borderers Register "Double": Two Third Division Teams Enter Semi-Final

The feature of the Shield matches on Saturday was the surprising defeat of the Royal Artillery, League leaders, at the hands of the Lincolns. The South Wales Borderers registered a "Double" in both the Senior and Junior competitions, while South China, despite the absence of several of their regular players, had no difficulty in accounting for Kowloon.

The biggest surprise in the Junior competition was the defeat of the Lincolns by the Royal Air Force, a third division league team. The Navy beat the Chinese Athletic "A" by one goal after extra time had been played, while the R.A.S.C., another third division team, accounted for the Chinese Athletic "B" by a penalty goal.

Results At A Glance

SENIOR SHIELD

Lincolns	1	R. A.	0
S. W. B.	5	Club	1
S. China	2	Kowloon	0

JUNIOR SHIELD

Navy	2	Athletic "A"	1
R.A.S.C.	1	Athletic "B"	0
R.A.F.	3	Lincolns	0
S.W.B.	4	S. China "B"	0

Senior Shield

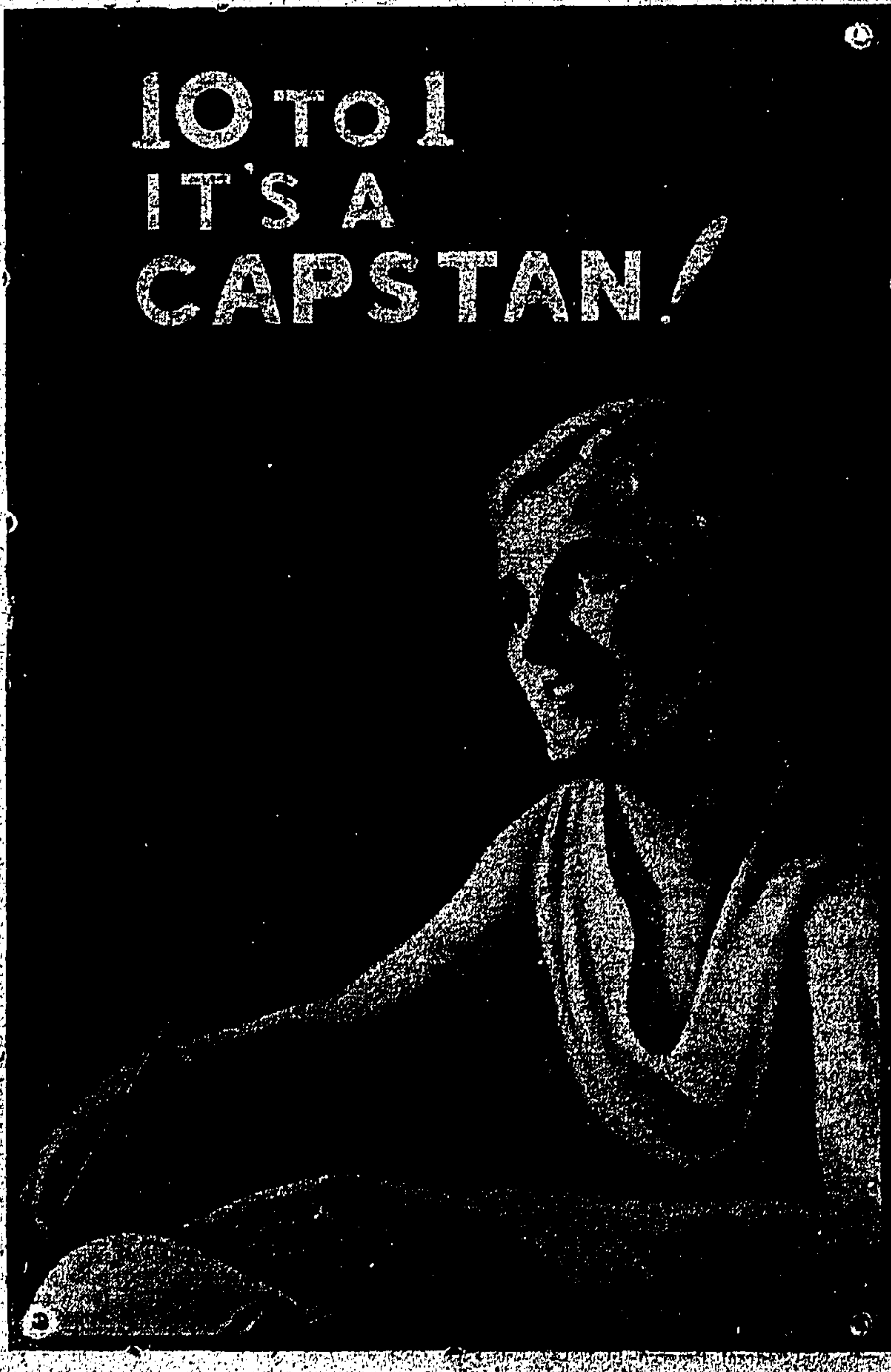
R.A. v. LINCOLNS.

The Royal Artillery, the League Leaders, were surprisingly beaten by the Lincolns in their Senior Shield match played on the Kowloon Football Club ground. The game was a very fast and keen one, so much so that the result was in doubt till almost the end. The Lincolns had a pair of good backs in Ash and Turner who defended strongly against the fleet-footed R.A. forwards. On the other hand, the Gunners were greatly handicapped by the absence of Taylor, the left back, Rogers not proving a good substitute.

The Lincolns were the first to attack, but from a good centre by

After the interval, the Lincolns continued to attack, and Malpas sent in a shot which Comby managed to punch out, but Baldry rushed in and netted with Comby on the ground. The Gunners then tried hard to equalise, but without success.

Mr. Baldwin lined out the following teams:—
Lincolns:—Heath, Turner, Ash, Dudley, Cork, Betts, Baldry, Harding, Malpas, Ridley and Woodward.
Artillery:—Comby, Rogers, Allen, Collier, Pender, Harris, Worthington, Bryant, Gough, Moore and Seal.
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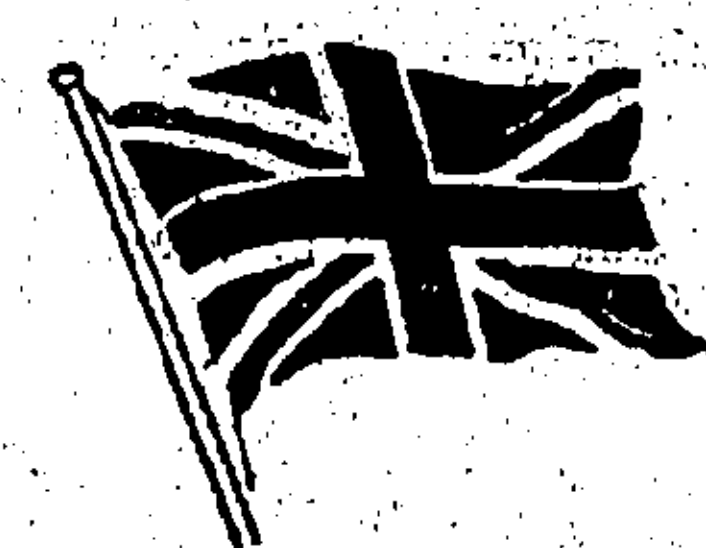
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6.—The Hong Kong Handicap—
"A" Class (1 1/2 Miles).

Mr. Dynasty's Hetman, 158 lb.
(Mr. G. U. da Roza) 1
Mr. Dynasty's King's Justice,
165 lb.
(Mr. A. A. P. Heard) 2
Mr. Dunbar's Champagne Bay,
150 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler) 3
Won by half a length and third
lengths between second and third.
Time: 2:32.3.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$3.90.
Places: 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$5.20.
Betting: Winner Place

Champagne Bay
(E. O. Butler) 230 123
Hetman
(G. U. da Roza) 1,377 514
King's Justice
(A. J. P. Heard) 1,130 350
Navy Hall
(R. A. Carrol) 41 37
2,784 1,084

7.—The Tytan Handicap: "B"
Class (1 Mile).

Mr. H. Y. Liang's Iron Grey,
149 lb. (Mr. V. V. Needa) 1
Mr. S.B.K.'s Partnership, 162
lb. (Mr. A. L. Caplan) 2
Mr. H.L.'s Black Velvet, 165 lb.
(Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 3
Won by three lengths and 1 1/2
lengths between second and third.
Time: 2:10.0.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$11.70.
Places: 1st \$4.30; 2nd \$7; 3rd
\$3.00.

Betting: Winner Place

Auction Bridge
(D. Black) 60 112
Black Velvet
(A. J. P. Heard) 570 663
Gold Bridge
(G. U. da Roza) 200 408
Heather Leaf
(R. A. Carrol) 22 41
Iron Grey
(V. V. Needa) 1,091 951
Kata Via
(B. A. Proulx) 87 118
Partnership
(A. L. Caplan) 484 658
Philiter
(E. O. Butler) 95 156
Spring Field
(Y. T. Fung) 97 208
Ta Peasat
(H. P. Chanson) 10 50
The Leprechaun
(G. A. Harriman) 66 116
2,840 3,477

8.—The Hong Kong Handicap:
"B" Class (1 Mile).

Messrs. Kong Bros' Blue Star,
165 lb. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 1
Mr. Samson's Poker Face, 152
lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares) 2
Mrs. Pearce's Weybridge, 165
lb. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3
Won by a length and a half, a
length between second and third.
Time: 2:39.3.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$28.40.
Places: 1st \$10.60; 2nd \$33.70;
3rd \$10.50.

Betting: Winner Place

Ajax (B. A. Proulx) 17 14
Alexandra Hall
(Up Kui Ying) 216 395
Banjolina
(E. O. Butler) 24 46
Bistre
(S. Y. Liang) 62 110
Blue Star
(S. N. Pan) 553 541
Brechin
(A. J. P. Heard) 1,722 1,428
Mon Talisman
(V. V. Soares) 68 111
Powerful King
(H. P. Chanson) 2 7
The Crook
(D. Black) 6 0

SECOND BATCH OF SUBS

SOME TRAINING TIMES FOR THE
STUDENT OF FORM

Below are given Saturday's training times of the second batch of subscription griffins which arrived here too late to race in the Annual Race Meeting and will not be racing until April—

Pony	D.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
Bagio	1	46.1	1.23	1.57.2	—	—	34.2
Cossack's Blood	1	43.1	1.21.1	1.57.3	2.30.4	—	33.2
Guy Butterfly	1	43.1	1.21.1	1.57.2	2.30.4	—	33.2
Darien	1	44	1.22	1.57	2.32	3.05.2	33.1
Victor	1	47.7	1.21	2.07	—	—	36
Gold Age	1	44	1.22.3	1.56	2.28.1	—	32.1
Vigilance	1	36.3	1.11.3	1.44.3	—	—	33
Wonderful Chivalry	1	38.3	1.17	1.50.1	2.28.3	—	32.2
Bill Brower	1	38.3	1.17	1.50.1	2.28.3	—	32.2
Duplex	1	36.2	1.14.1	1.49	2.22.2	—	33.2
Now's The Time	1	39.2	1.14.1	1.49	2.22.2	—	33.2
Glorious Day	1	43.1	1.24.2	2.04.3	2.41.3	3.15	33.2
Triumph	1	43.1	1.24.2	2.04.3	2.41.3	3.15	33.2
The Greyling	1	39.3	1.15.2	1.49.4	2.24.3	—	34.4
Oke	1	41	1.17.4	1.52	—	—	34.1
Golden Hope	1	41	1.17.4	1.52	—	—	34.1
Felicitas Star	1	44.3	1.27.3	2.07.4	2.45.2	—	37.8
Good Sport	1	38	1.11.4	1.47.3	—	—	34.1
Pinlimmon	1	42.2	1.21.4	1.55.3	2.33.3	—	34.1
Aden	1	38.1	1.12.4	1.45.3	2.23.3	—	34.1
National Day	1	42	1.22.4	2.00.3	2.38.3	—	34.1
Melody	1	42	1.22.4	2.00.3	2.38.3	—	34.1
Do Minima	1	45	1.25.4	2.03.4	2.41.2	3.12.2	31.2
Jack Sharky	1	37.2	1.12.4	1.50.4	2.23	—	32.1
The Panther	1	39.4	1.15.1	1.50.1	2.28.3	3.10.2	32.3

HOME FOOTBALL

RESULTS OF SATURDAY'S
MATCHES

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

English and Scottish Football Cup
and League Matches, played on
Saturday resulted as follows:—

ENGLISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal 0 Liverpool 1
Blackburn 4 Huddersfield 2
Blackpool 0 Portsmouth 2
Leeds 1 Sheffield U. 3
Wednesday 2 Wolves 0
West Bromwich 3 Newcastle 2

TABLE TO DATE

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Arsenal	38	26	6	6	48
Blackburn	30	18	6	6	42
Blackpool	29	17	9	6	40
Newcastle	30	17	10	3	37
West Bromwich	29	15	8	6	36
Derby	30	12	8	10	34
Leeds	29	11	7	11	33
Huddersfield	30	14	11	5	33
Sunderland	30	13	11	6	32
Portsmouth	31	13	13	5	31
Blackburn	31	11	19	8	30
Everton	30	12	13	5	29
Liverpool	31	11	14	6	28
Sheffield U.	30	10	11	9	28
Bolton	31	10	15	6	28
Blackpool	31	11	17	3	25
Birmingham	28	10	13	5	25
Manchester C.	29	10	17	2	22
Chelsea	30	9	18	3	21
Wolves	30	7	17	6	20
Middlesbro'	28	5	10	4	20
Leicester	29	5	14	10	20

SECOND DIVISION

Bradford C. 2 Plymouth A. 3
Bury 4 Grimsby 1
Chesterfield 2 Bradford 1
Lincoln 1 Oldham 3
Millwall 2 Manchester U. 0
Notts C. 3 Charlton 2
Port Vale 1 Stoke 3
Southampton 1 Tottenham 1
Swansea 0 Notts F. 1

TABLE TO DATE

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Stoke	31	18	7	6	42
Tottenham	30	16	6	8	40
Bury	32	16	8	8	30
Millwall	30	14	9	7	35
Notts F.	30	12	8	10	34
Manchester U.	30	12	8	10	34
Swansea	30	13	10	7	33
Bradford C.	31	13	11	7	33
Notts C.	30	12	9	9	33
Plymouth A.	30	12	12	6	32
Fulham	29	11	9	9	31
Southampton	31	12	14	4	30
Bradford	30	12	14	4	28
Lincoln	29	9	12	8	26
Port Vale	29	10	13	6	26
Preston	30	10	14	6	26
Chesterfield	31	9	14	8	26
West Ham	27	6	12	7	23
Grimsby	31	7	15	9	23
Oldham	30	8	16	6	22
Burnley	29	6	14	9	21
Charlton	29	7	16	6	20

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bournemouth 0 Reading 3
Brentford 3 Southend 1
Bristol C. 3 Aldershot 2
Clapton 2 Brighton 0
Coventry 7 Queens' P.R. 3
Exeter 2 Gillingham 1
Newport 4 Cardiff 2
Northampton 1 Bristol R. 1
Swindon 2 Norwich 1
Torquay 2 Crystal P. 1

TABLE TO DATE

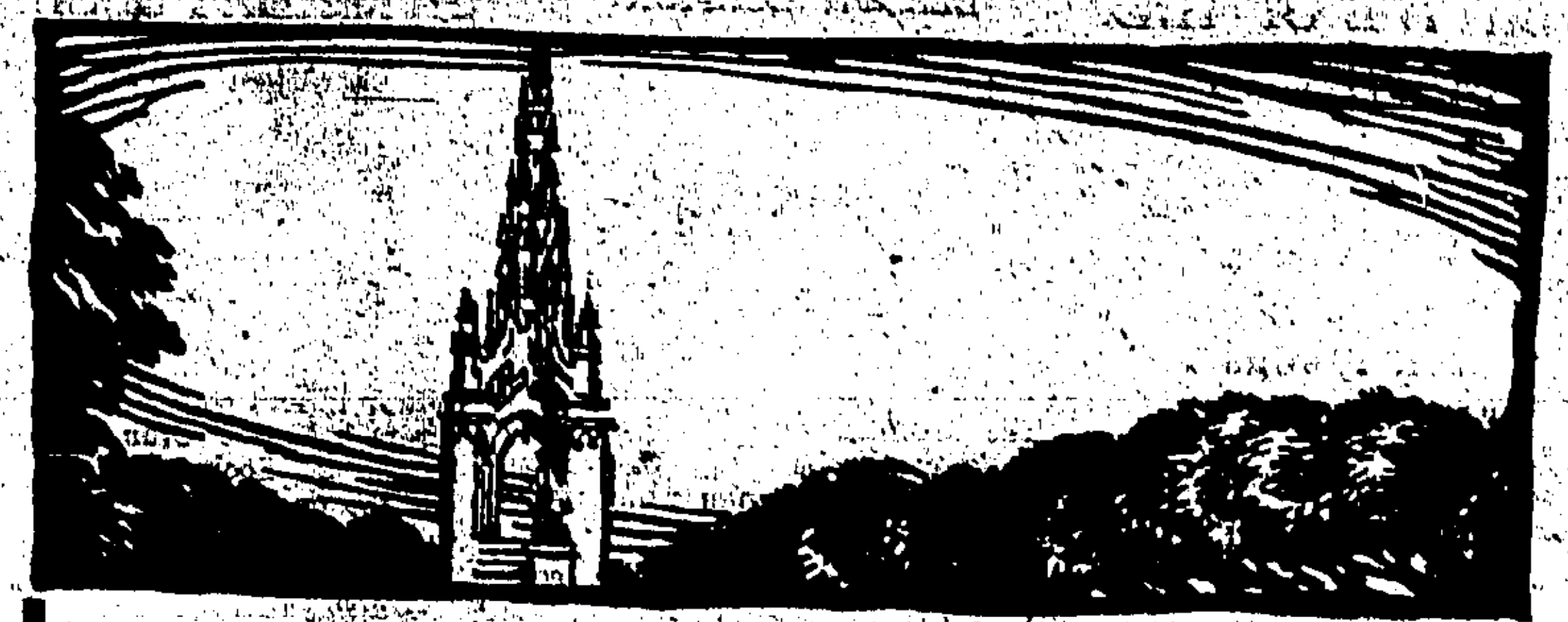
	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Brentford	29	20	4	5	45
Norwich	31	16	4	11	43
Exeter	30	18	6	6	42
Reading	29	16	5	8	40
Crystal P.	31	13	11	7	33
Coventry	31	15	13	3	33
Southend	32	12	12	8	32
Northampton	30	12	11	7	31
Watford	31	12	12	7	31
Brighton	29	13	12	4	30
Bournemouth	32	9	12	11	29
Bristol R.	28	11	10	7	29
Torquay	30	10	12	8	28
Queens' P.R.	30	10	13	7	27
Gillingham	30	11	14	5	27
Aldershot	29	10	13	8	26
Luton	27	9	11	7	25
Bristol C.	30	9	14	7	25
Clapton	31	7	14	10	24
Cardiff	29	8	16	5	21
Newport	32	7	17	8	21
Swindon	30	7	17	6	20

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Barnsley 3 Rotherham 1
Darlington 5 Rochdale 1
Doncaster 3 Southport 1
Gateshead 3 York 2
Halifax 3 New Brighton 3
Hartlepool 3 Accrington 1
Hull 4 Mansfield 1
Stockport 1 Crewe 1
Tranmere 2 Chester 2
Walsall 5 Carlisle 1
Wrexham 4 Barrow 1

TABLE TO DATE

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Hull	30	18	5	7	43
Wrexham	29	18	6	5	41
Chester	30	17	7	6	40
Barrow	31	15	10	6	38
Barnsley	31	15	11	5	35
Gateshead	31	13	10	8	34
Stockport	31	12	9	10	34
Walsall	31	14	11	6	34
Crewe	32	15	15	2	32
Southport	30	12	12	6	31
Accrington	31	12	12	7	31
Doncaster	29	11	12	6	31
Tranmere	31	10	12	7	27
Halifax	31	11	15	5	27
Rotherham	31	11	15	5	27
Mansfield	30	10	15	5	26
Rochdale	30	10	15	5	26
York	30	9	15	6	24
Darlington	27	10	12	4	24
Carlisle	30	8	16	6	22
New Brighton	31	6	19	6	18

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ENGLAND CUP

SIXTH ROUND

West Ham 4 Birmingham 0
Derby 4 Sunderland 0
Everton 6 Luton 0
Burnley 0 Manchester C. 1

SCOTTISH CUP

FOURTH ROUND

Albion 1 Celtic 1
Hibernians 0 Hearts 0
Kilmarnock 3 Motherwell 3
Clyde 3 Stenhousemuir 2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION

Airdrie 2 Morton 1
Ayr 2 St. Johnstone 0
Cowdenbeath 1 Hamilton 2
E. Stirling 1 Falkirk 2
Partick 3 Queens' P.K. 4
St. Mirren 3 Aberdeen 2
Third Lanark 1 Rangers 2

TABLE TO DATE

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Rangers	31	21	2	8	50
Motherwell	30	20	6	4	44
Celtic	32	17	8	7	41
Hearts	31	18	8	5	41
Hamilton	31	17	9	5	39
Third Lanark	32	12	15	5	29
St. Johnstone	31	15	8	8	33
Aberdeen	31	16	11	4	33
St. Mirren	31	14	13	4	32
Queen's Park	30	13	11	6	32
Falkirk	32	13	14	5	31
Kilmarnock	30	11	15	4	29
Clyde	31	12	15	4	27
Dundee	30	10	15	5	25
Partick	32	10	15	7	23
Ayr	32	9	19	4	22
Cowdenbeath	31	8	19	3	21
Airdrieonians	31	8	20	3	20
Morton	31	7	20	6	19
East Stirling	30	5	23	2	19

THE BATTLE OF THE GIANTS

"TIGER" DAULA AGAIN VICTORIOUS

TOR JOHNSON FLOORS THE "MIGHTY"

GOOD CLEAN WRESTLING

The second edition of American wrestling staged at the Kowloon Football Club ground yesterday afternoon was quite a different show to the last one and a general success.

The notoriety of last week's bout aroused no little interest and long before the appointed hour the stands were packed to the limit. All seating accommodation, including the ring-side seats, were full.

The occasion was honoured by the attendance of the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolf, Inspector General of Police, who was introduced to the fighters prior to their bouts.

"Tiger" Daula was fully extended in his bout with "Duke" Zibesco, but won the match by two straight falls in just under half an hour. The match was a distinct improvement over the first edition staged last week and both wrestlers gave a delightful exhibition of clever tackling. At the conclusion the men shook hands in a very sporting manner.

Fall of the Mighty.

In the second bout Tor Johnson, champion of Sweden, fell the "Mighty" Fazal (Daula's brother) after 32 minutes, but not before Fazal had demonstrated that he was equally as strong and clever a wrestler as his brother. The bout was announced as one of 35 minute duration but the wrestlers were so evenly matched that the time limit was passed before a verdict could be obtained.

The Preliminary Bout.

In the preliminary bout of Indian wrestling G. Singh, the wrestler who performed with such good nature at the first meeting, was now pitted against Peroda Ali, none other than the man whom he had fought to a draw at the last meeting and who was eager to meet G. Singh again. This time Peroda made no mistakes, attacking G. Singh from the start. He obtained the verdict in just over ten minutes. The bout had its humorous vein throughout for G. Singh would stop to blow his nose even at critical moments of the match!

The Main Bout.

Announced as the main bout with a two hour time limit, "Tiger" Daula and "Duke" Zibesco, Champion of Poland, took the ring. After being introduced to the Inspector General of Police, the referee, Mr. Freeman, gave the men their final instructions which included no slapping and stamping on toes. "Tiger" Daula was announced as weighing 240 lbs. and "Duke" Zibesco at 235 lbs. Both men have met the famous "Strangler" Lewis of the United States; Daula is reported to have held this famous wrestler to a draw.

Daula commenced the bout with the terrible wrist lock, being a similar hold to that which he executed on Cross with such deadly results. Duke cleverly freed himself to retaliate by holding Daula to the mat with a knee hold, adding pressure from his shoulder! Duke showed himself to be a even match for the powerful Daula and held him on the mat.

After the breakaway Daula forced Duke to the mat and operated the toe-hold but Duke saved himself by pulling himself off the mat. Duke in the re-opening employed Daula's favourite arm lock, but Daula knew the medicine for his own attacks and cleverly warded off the grip. They both fell to the mat and Duke caught Daula in a deadly scissor grip about the stomach with his legs which held the Tiger for a few moments. Daula relied with his ankle theory, which consisted of extending both legs in a "split" formation and pinning the ankles to the mat. Duke again freed himself after considerable difficulty and rejoined the attack with the famous "Strangler" Lewis head grip, throwing the big Hindu heavily to the mat.

Bull Butting.

Daula then commenced his bull butting tactics which sent Duke reeling to the ropes. Duke again employed the "Strangler" hold which seemed to worry Daula. Duke then threw Daula to employ the leg theory; but Daula wriggled free and in reply caught Duke in a nasty half nelson, which put Duke through a terrible ordeal. Duke, however, broke away to be cheered heartily.

This grip, however, cost him no small amount of energy and Daula attacked his man time and again, using the wrist grip and holding his man at bay by stamping on his feet! Duke freed himself in a tricky way by kicking the soles of Daula's feet.

Breathing heavily, Duke then tried to butt Daula but the latter was

LESSON SERMON

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—HONG KONG

"Man" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 5th.

The Golden Text was: "What man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him?" (I Cor. 2: 11.)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "The Lord is the portion of mine inheritance and of my cup: thou maintainest my lot. I have set the Lord always before me: because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved. As for me, I will behold thy face in righteousness: I shall be satisfied, when I awake, with thy likeness." (Ps. 16: 5, 8, 17: 15.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science text-book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Man, in the likeness of his Maker, reflects the central light of being, the invisible God. As there is no corporeality in the mirrored form, which is but a reflection, so man, like all things real, reflects God, his divine Principle, not in a mortal body." (P. 305:6.)

ready and parried off the attack.

Out of the Ring.

In a series of flying head locks, Daula then threw his man repeatedly, and obtained the first fall after 22 minutes.

Duke Zibesco started very well in the second round, but was obviously tired and thrown in a helpless state fell out of the ring. He returned gamely, but Daula followed up to clinch the verdict within five minutes.

The Second Bout.

In the second bout Tor Johnson, clad in a purple kimono inscribed with his name "Tor Johnson, Sweden" in gold letters took the ring amid applause. He was obviously the favourite of the day and was cheered heartily, especially by the kiddies. "Mighty" Fazal (272 lbs) was also warmly received, especially by his native friends.

Fazal opened the bout by attempting to employ his brothers favourite wrist lock, but Tor was still "mighty" and Fazal had to give it up as a bad job! In a struggle they both fell to the mat and Johnson then demonstrated a new act—that of a dry slave with the palm of his hand. Fazal apparently disliked having his hair tampered with, and rushed the burly Johnson in rage. Johnson, however, was calm and warded off his opponent with rabbit punches which floored Fazal. Johnson then literally threw his 290 lbs. of weight on the prostrate Fazal with a sickening thud!

Fazal in reply caught Johnson in a double leg hold which held the giant for sometime before he could free himself. Johnson tackled his man in return gave Fazal a taste of his own medicine!

Out of Ring.

The ring apparently was far too small for the giant Johnson who came up against the ropes frequently. Later he fell out of the ring and in another instance both men were out but still grappled at each other on the grass!

Then followed a funny exhibition of chest hair pulling by Johnson but Fazal returned the compliment.

Tickling.

Fazal then sought to tickling from time to time and this saved him from many critical situations and at each experience the giant Johnson became as helpless as a child. Fazal also frequently floored Johnson with a deadly spine bending grip which fell Johnson heavily to the mat.

Johnson also employed the tactics of using his weight to "squash" Fazal but on one occasion fell out of the ring. Both men at one time held each other by the toe-hold and later a nose pull saved Fazal from what might have resulted in a verdict.

Whiskers Pulling.

Fazal then caught Johnson in an ankle hold and in attempt to secure a grip on Fazal, Johnson extended his arm to pull Fazal's whiskers! The referee, however, knocked the arm away at each attempt.

Johnson on rising chased his man around the ring and secured a strong arm-lock which floored Fazal and nearly cost him the match. Rising Fazal caught Johnson in a toe hold but clinging to the ropes, Johnson fell back heavily on Fazal and gripping him an arm lock, surprised his opponent before he could wriggle free and pinned his shoulders for a verdict.

Johnson's victory was a popular one and both men shook hands. Johnson has already challenged "Tiger" Daula, but the date of the match has not been fixed. The bout between these two mighty fighters will doubtless prove an interesting one.

SATURDAY'S SHIELD MATCHES

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BORDERERS v. CLUB.

In their replay for the right to enter the second round of the Senior Shield competition, the Borderers beat the Club by five goals to one at Sookunpo. The match was too one-sided to be interesting, and the Borderers took the lead almost from the start. The ball was always in the Club's half, and the soldiers had matters much their own way, scoring on three occasions before the interval arrived. Davies (2) and Jones were the scorers.

The second half was almost a repetition of the first, with the exception that the Club managed to score once. After about five minutes from the restart, Davies put his side further ahead, and later the score was increased to five by Fourty.

The Club's only goal was scored through Wirth, their newcomer, who scored from about fifteen yards range.

Referee:—R. P. O. Darlington lined out the following teams: Borderers:—Johnson, Mullane, Morrison; Morgan, Podmore, Underwood; Harris, Fourty, Davies, Jones and Duncan. Club:—Rodger; Strange, Martin; Duncan, Pines, Skinner; Boyd, Williams, Wirth and Downing.

Junior Shield

NAVY v. ATHLETIC "A."

This match was a very even one, and extra time had to be played before the game could be decided in favour of the Navy. In the first half, the sailors were leading by one goal but in the second half the Chinese managed to equalise. Extra time was then called, and with two minutes to go, Rawson scored.

BORDERERS v. SOUTH CHINA "B."

The Borderers had no difficulty in beating South China in their match at Sookunpo. They had most of the play throughout and in the first half Morris and Hamlyn scored for them. After the interval they continued to attack and Matthias was responsible for the two goals.

R.A.F. v. LINCOLNS.

The R.A.F., third Division team created a surprise by beating the Lincolns by three goals to two in the second round of the Junior Shield.

The Lincolns were the first to score through McGuinness, but the Airmen soon equalised through Gregory. The Lincolns continued to attack, however, and just before the interval, McGuinness regained the lead for them.

After the interval, the Airmen had much of the play and soon equalised when Read scored within the penalty area. Towards the end Gregory scored the winning goal from a well-placed corner.

R.A.S.C. v. ATHLETIC "B."

The R.A.S.C. were rather lucky to beat the Chinese Athletic "B" by the only goal which was scored through a penalty. There were several unpleasant incidents in this game, and spot kick on both occasions. They, however, managed to convert one.

After fifteen minutes play, Hay was fouled in the penalty area, but Gray, who took the spot kick, ballooned the ball high over the bar. In the second half, Hay was again fouled when in a scoring position, and this time Brown made no mistake with the penalty which was awarded.

KOWLOON MATCH

An account of the match between Kowloon Football Club and South China will be found in Our Kowloon Supplement.

THIRD DIVISION

TAIKOO v. CHINA ATHLETIC These two teams met on Caroline Hill under a strong wind and a drizzle and play was very much influenced by the wind. The Athletics who had the wind against them in the first half found themselves penned in by the Taikoo boys who managed to lead by a single goal before the interval.

On changing over, however, the Athletics, with the wind behind them played an entirely different game and had most of the play confined to their opponent's half.

They equalised about a quarter of an hour before the end and just before the final whistle managed to secure the goal which gave them full points.

Coleman, Jan. 4. Ex-King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, who made his home here after the 1918 collapse, will celebrate his seventy-second birthday in Africa, whither he is about to start on a four months' trip, his third visit to the Dark Continent. The ex-king will hunt lions in Kenya, and will also visit the Sudan and Egypt.

MONEY AND MARKETS

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LTD.

Dividend And Bonus As Last Year

DIRECTORS' CAUTIOUS POLICY

The Fourteenth Ordinary Meeting of shareholders of the Bank of East Asia, Ltd. was held on Saturday, at its registered office, No. 10, Des Vaux Road Central.

The Hon. Sir Shouson Chow presided, and there were present Messrs. Wong Chu Son, Li Lan Sang, Pun Hui Cho, Li Koon Chan, P. K. Kwok, Wong Yui Tong, (Directors), Kan Tong Po, (Chief Manager), Li Tse Fong (Manager), and the following shareholders, Messrs. Fung Ping Fun, Fung Keng Yu, Kan Tat Choy, Fung Fuk Tin, Chan Shu Ming, Ching Lin Fong, Lung Tin Tong, Tso Shuk Hon, K. K. Lee, Li Tung, Kan Shiu Ki, Li Po Tin, Chan Tse Choi, Fung Sun Lam, Tam Cheong Tsun, Li Pak To, Chow Tung Sang, Kwok Shiu Lau, Loo Hau Fook.

The Chairman's Speech

The Chairman said:—The result of the year's working shows a slight decline from that of the previous year, but after taking into consideration the various adverse trading factors prevailing during the year, I think that the result obtained is satisfactory.

You will notice from the Balance Sheet that Capital Account has been increased to \$5,598,000.00 by the issue of 5,986 additional shares. These shares were issued to the holders of Founders' shares in accordance with the scheme approved by you in the early part of 1932 by the transfer of a sum of \$598,600.00 from Reserve Account to Capital Account. The result of the scheme is the disappearance of all Founders' shares and the cancellation of bonus payable to Directors and holders of these shares.

You will notice from the Balance Sheet that on 31st December, 1932 was higher than that of the previous year. The ratio of cash reserve was more than 70 per cent. of the liabilities in respect of fixed and current deposits. The management found it extremely difficult to obtain profitable employment of the funds entrusted to us, and you will observe that our loan account shows a drop of about 2 1/4 million dollars. I trust that you will agree that the conservative policy of our management in this branch of our business is, at the present time, a prudent one.

Bank Building has been written down at the same ratio as in previous years. The amount of \$67,014.47 expended during the year was entirely for account of works on the new building for our Canton Branch. Owing to some unforeseen delay the new building has not yet been completed, but it is hoped that it will be ready for occupation within the next few months.

The reduction in Reserve Account was due to the transfer of a sum of \$598,600.00 to Capital Account in respect of 5,986 additional shares issued to holders of Founders' shares referred to above. The transfer of the sum of \$148,600.00 to this Account will again bring it up to \$2,000,000.00.

Dividend and Bonus.

The Directors are confident that you will support their recommendation of voting a bonus of \$34,000.00 to the staff in recognition of their hard work and loyal service.

The dividend and bonus declared are exactly the same as those of last year, and the balance carried forward is \$812,532.99. Before I formally move the adoption of the report and accounts, I take this opportunity of informing shareholders that the Directors are considering the question of rebuilding the present premises in Hongkong, as more accommodation will be needed in the near future to cope with the steady growth of our business.

With these remarks I beg to propose that the report and accounts as presented be adopted and that the balance of \$812,532.99 standing at the credit of Profit and Loss Account be dealt as follows:—

To pay a Dividend of \$3 per share on 55,986 shares absorbing \$335,918 00
To pay a bonus of \$2 per share on 55,986 shares absorbing 111,972 00
To transfer to Reserve 148,600 00
To pay a bonus to the staff 34,000 00
To carry forward 312,552 99
When this has been seconded I will answer any question you may wish to ask.

(Continued on next column)

HONG KONG STOCK MARKET

SATURDAY'S OFFICIAL REPORT

The indications of a better feeling at the close yesterday afternoon, developed into quite a fair demand this morning, especially of some investment issues. Lands, Electric, Trams and Telephone, all being marked up.

In the minor section, Lights were firm throughout the morning, but cash shares seem to be rather scarce.

Sales.

Douglases, \$33.
Providents (Old), \$4/4.10.
Providents (New), \$14.
Hotels (Old), \$7.60.
Hotels (New), \$7.
Hong Kong Lands, \$70.
Hong Kong Trams, \$30.70.
H.K. Electric, \$72.
Telephones (New), \$37.
Cements (Combined), \$71/7.

Buyers.

Hong Kong Banks, \$1,645.
Douglases, \$33.
H.K. Steamboats, \$22.
Providents (Old), \$4.
Providents (New), \$14.
Hotels (New), \$7.
Hong Kong Lands, \$72.
H.K. Realities, \$62.
Chinese Estates, \$55.
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 13.20.
Hong Kong Trams, \$30.
China Lights (Old), \$64.
China Lights (New), \$71.
H.K. Electric, \$73.
Cements (Combined), \$74.5.
B. Ind G. 8 Bonds, 65 per cent.
Govt. Loans, 4 per cent. Prem.

Sellers.

Union Insurances, \$560.
Raubs, \$11.
Wharves, \$142.
Shanghai Cottons, Tls. 69.
Cements (New), \$12.
United Theatres, Tls. 5.

Mr. Fung Fuk Tin seconded. There were no questions, and the adoption of the report and accounts was carried unanimously.

Mr. Kan Tat Choy proposed and Mr. Fung Ping Fun seconded the appointment of Messrs. Pun Hui Cho and Li Lan Sang as ordinary Directors for the current year.

Mr. Kwok Siu Lau proposed, and Mr. Chan Siu Ming seconded the reelection of Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming as auditors for the ensuing year.

The Chairman announced that dividend warrants will be payable on March 6.

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(INCORPORATED IN HONG KONG.)

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[REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE.]

New York: March 3.
Dow Jones Averages: High—1932 Low: Mar. 2 Mar. 3 Change
30 Industrials 68.78 41.22 52.18 53.84 1.66 up
20 Rails 41.30 13.22 23.84 24.76 .82 up
20 Utilities 36.11 16.53 21.30 21.95 .65 up
40 Bonds 33.20 65.78 74.03 73.31 .81 down

Z. A. Pierce and Co. Report. It is impossible to diagnose today's rally. We would allow the market to reveal itself as to whether the upturn means the approach of constructive developments which, at present, are undischarged.

Business Done: 1,410,000 shares.

1932	Low	High	Feb. 28	Mar. 2	Mar. 3	Change
High	Low	Feb. 28	Mar. 2	Mar. 3		
62 1/2	31 1/2	3.00	Air Reduction	44 1/2	51 1/2	
87 1/2	42 1/2	6.00	Allied Chemical & Dye	74 1/2	77 1/2	
73 1/2	29 1/2	4.00	American Car	52 1/2	54 1/2	
137 1/2	71 1/2	9.00	American Tel. & Tel.	97 1/2	99 1/2	
89 1/2	44 1/2	5.00	American Tobacco "B"	53 1/2	55 1/2	
168 1/2	3 1/2	4.00	Anascond Copper Mining	8 1/2	9 1/2	
151 1/2	28 1/2	4.00	Auburn	34 1/2	35 1/2	
43 1/2	20 1/2	2.00	Borden Company	20 1/2	20 1/2	
208 1/2	7 1/2	4.00	Canadian Pacific	8 1/2	9 1/2	
91 1/2	5 1/2	1.00	Chrysler Motors	31 1/2	32 1/2	
66 1/2	31 1/2	4.00	Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	11 1/2	12 1/2	
57 1/2	23 1/2	4.00	Druze, Inc.	44 1/2	46 1/2	
60 1/2	23 1/2	2.00	Du Pont de Nemours	33 1/2	35 1/2	
87 1/2	26 1/2	3.00	Eastman Kodak	53 1/2	55 1/2	x d
45 1/2	5 1/2	0 1/2	Electric Bond & Share	11 1/2	12 1/2	
26 1/2	8 1/2	0.40	General Electric	11 1/2	12 1/2	
40 1/2	19 1/2	2.00	General Foods	24 1/2	25 1/2	
24 1/2	7 1/2	1.00	General Motors	10 1/2	10 1/2	
24 1/2	10 1/2	1.00	Gillette Safety	14 1/2	15 1/2	
32 1/2	10 1/2	1.20	International Harvester	14 1/2	15 1/2	
14 1/2	2 1/2	1.00	International Tel. (Preferred)	8 1/2	9 1/2	
60 1/2	32 1/2	4.00	Liggett & Myers "B"	51 1/2	51 1/2	
36 1/2	13 1/2	3.00	Leew's Inc.	52 1/2	53 1/2	
16 1/2	3 1/2	1.00	Montgomery Ward	18 1/2	19 1/2	
46 1/2	20 1/2	2.80	National Biscuit	38 1/2	39 1/2	
37 1/2	16 1/2	2.00	Pacific Gas & Electric	33 1/2	35 1/2	
23 1/2	6 1/2	1.00	Pennsylvania Railway	24 1/2	25 1/2	
12 1/2	2 1/2	1.00	Radio Corp.	16 1/2	17 1/2	
37 1/2	9 1/2	1.00	Sears Roebuck	24 1/2	25 1/2	
27 1/2	18 1/2	1.00	Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	12 1/2	13 1/2	
12 1/2	5 1/2	0.40	Socoy Vacuum Corp.	6 1/2	6 1/2	
27 1/2	9 1/2	1.20	Union Carbide & Carbon	21 1/2	22 1/2	x d
24 1/2	28 1/2	6.00	Union Pacific	67 1/2	69 1/2	
53 1/2	21 1/2	1.00	United States Steel	24 1/2	25 1/2	
43 1/2	18 1/2	1.00	Westinghouse E. & M.	20 1/2	21 1/2	

IMPERIAL TOBACCO DIVIDEND

SOME INTERESTING COMPARISONS.

By paying a final dividend and bonus of 1 1/2 per cent. (against 1 1/2 per cent.) the Imperial Tobacco Company is making a total distribution for the year ended October 31 of 20 per cent. (free of tax), compared with 22 1/2 per cent. for 1930-31. As before \$500,000 is allocated to reserve, but whereas a year ago the "carry-forward" was increased by \$38,000, it is this time reduced by \$304,000. The cut of 2 1/2 per cent. in the dividend involves a sum of \$307,000, and it would thus appear that the revenue of the year was smaller by approximately \$1,229,000. This would mean a net income of about \$3,650,000, against \$2,876,000 for 1930-31 and \$10,177,000 for 1929-30, which marked the culmination of a long period of rising profits.

To a partial extent the fall in revenue may be attributed to the reduction of 3 per cent. made a year ago in the dividend on the shares of the British-American Tobacco Company (of which the Imperial is a large holder) and to the small reduction made in the dividend of Tobacco Securities Trust, as well as to the increase in the tobacco and income taxes. But these factors would not appear to cover the whole of the fall in profits, and it looks as if the company has felt to some extent the effect of competition, one outcome of which was its adoption of a prize-giving policy and the introduction of a new brand of cigarette, all of which must have meant additional expenditure. In view of the fact that the fall in the price of leaf would largely counteract the rise in the dollar and that the company averages the price over a period of years, it hardly seems likely that there was much increase in the cost of the company's raw material.

RUBBER PRODUCTION IN 1932

DECLINE OF CONSUMPTION.

In their annual review of the rubber market Messrs. S. Figgis and Co. state that the low price of 2d. a lb. and under has had some effect on production, the total shipments of plantation rubber in 1932, at 69,000 tons, showing a decline of 70,000 tons compared with 1931. The figures include latex. Ceylon and India showed the heaviest decline, while shipments from N.E.I. were 15 per cent. lower, but Malaya shipments were about the same and those from French Indo-China increased by 15 per cent., due to the French Government's subsidy.

Consumption, according to Messrs. Figgis, totalled 688,000 tons. Outside U.S.A. consumption increased by 25,000 tons, but U.S.A. consumption declined further by 36,000 tons to 313,000 tons.

Thus the surplus of rubber production over consumption in 1932 was about 40,000 tons, in Para production (8,000 tons) is added to the plantation shipments above mentioned, making the total production 707,000 tons. Messrs. Figgis state that they cannot see any great change for the better in the near future, but they believe that outside America there will be a slow improvement, and that in the United States considerable replacement will take place if the Western farmers' position is improved. They do not think that the world will consume less rubber in 1933 than in 1932.

Nanking, Feb. 22.—Mr. Oscar de Oxholm, new Danish Minister to China, arrived here from Shanghai yesterday morning. He paid a formal call on Dr. Lo Wen Kan, Minister of Foreign Affairs. Arrangements are being made for the new Minister to present his credentials to President Lin Sen.—Kuo Min.

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG

NORTHWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN.

Amoy.

Hai Ning, Douglas, March 7.
Kanchow, B. & S., March 7.
Kumsang, Jardine's, March 7.
Klungchow, B. & S., March 8.
Tai Yuan, B. & S., March 8.
Hai Yang, Douglas, March 10.
Talamba, B.I. (Apcar), March 10.
Hunan, B. & S., March 11.
Hosang, Jardine's, March 18.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, March 18.
Anshun, B. & S., March 14.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), March 24.

Oshio.

Huichow, B. & S., March 6.
Kueichow, B. & S., March 9.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, March 15.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 18.

Dahly.

Aeneas, B. & S., March 6.
Liangchow, B. & S., March 10.
Sarpedon, B. & S., April 1.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.
Antenor, B. & S., May 20.

Fuchow.

Huichow, B. & S., March 6.
Hai Ning, Douglas, March 7.
Kueichow, B. & S., March 9.
Hai Yang, Douglas, March 10.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, March 15.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 18.

Hankow.

Eumecus, B. & S., May 7.

Japan Ports.

Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., Mar. 6.
Kulmerland, Jensen's, March 6.
Kumsang, March 7.
Morioka Maru, N.Y.K., March 8.
Hakodate Maru, N.Y.K., March 8.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 10.
Talamba, B.I. (Apcar), March 10.
Ranpura, P. & O., March 10.
Agapenor, B. & S., March 11.
Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Searland, Jensen's, March 12.
Lahn, Melchers', March 13.
Tergostea, Dodwell's, March 14.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Deucalion, B. & S., March 17.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., March 17.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., March 17.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Mar. 18.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Hosang, Jardine's, March 18.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, March 19.
Bhutan, P. & O., March 19.
Afrika, Manners', March 20.
Canton, Gilman's, March 21.
Machao, B. & S., March 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Taigo Maru, N.Y.K., March 24.
Chitral, P. & O., March 24.
Euryates, B. & S., March 24.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), March 24.
Sable, Melchers', March 24.
Diomed, B. & S., March 27.
Tyndareus, B. & S., March 30.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 20.
Kulmerland, Jensen's, March 31.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Pres. Taft, Am. Line, April 1.
Canton, Gilman's, April 3.
Asia, Manners', April 4.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., April 6.
Ranchi, P. & O., April 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., April 7.
Fulda, Melchers', April 7.
Mentor, B. & S., April 10.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, April 12.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.
Agamemnon, B. & S., April 14.
Pres. Jefferson, Am. Line, April 15.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Soudan, P. & O., April 18.
Carthage, P. & O., April 20.
Trave, Melchers', April 20.
Japan, Gilman's, April 21.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', April 25.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 28.
Danmark, Manners', April 29.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 29.
Pres. Madison, Dollar's, April 29.
Naldera, P. & O., May 4.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., May 5.
Eumecus, B. & S., May 7.
Trier, Melchers', May 8.
Maron, B. & S., May 8.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', May 8.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.
City of Shanghai, Bank Line, May 12.
Memnon, B. & S., May 12.
Burwan, P. & O., May 12.
Kaiser-T-Hind, P. & O., May 13.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.
Menelaus, B. & S., May 19.
Felix Roussel, Messageries', May 23.
Antenor, B. & S., May 20.

Swatow.

Anhui, B. & S., March 6.
Sinkiang, B. & S., March 7.
Hai Ning, Douglas, March 7.
Norrikan, Jardine's, March 8.
Hai Yang, Douglas, March 10.
Hellas, Thoresen's, March 12.
Canton, Gilman's, March 21.
Machao, B. & S., March 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Taigo Maru, N.Y.K., March 24.
Chitral, P. & O., March 24.
Euryates, B. & S., March 24.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), March 24.
Sable, Melchers', March 24.
Diomed, B. & S., March 27.
Tyndareus, B. & S., March 30.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 20.
Kulmerland, Jensen's, March 31.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Pres. Taft, Am. Line, April 1.
Canton, Gilman's, April 3.
Asia, Manners', April 4.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., April 6.
Ranchi, P. & O., April 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., April 7.
Fulda, Melchers', April 7.
Mentor, B. & S., April 10.
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Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.
Agamemnon, B. & S., April 14.
Pres. Jefferson, Am. Line, April 15.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Soudan, P. & O., April 18.
Carthage, P. & O., April 20.
Trave, Melchers', April 20.
Japan, Gilman's, April 21.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
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Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.
Menelaus, B. & S., May 19.
Felix Roussel, Messageries', May 23.
Antenor, B. & S., May 20.

Tientsin.

Huichow, B. & S., March 6.
Kueichow, B. & S., March 9.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, March 15.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 18.

Taku.

Glaucus, B. & S., March 9.
Lahn, Melchers', March 13.
Sarpedon, B. & S., April 1.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.
Antenor, B. & S., May 20.

Tsingtao.

Sinkiang, B. & S., March 7.
Norrikan, Jardine's, March 8.
Fook Shing, Jardine's, March 12.
Sunning, B. & S., March 12.
Kalgan, B. & S., March 12.
Fook Shing, Jardine's, March 12.
Anshun, B. & S., March 14.
Suiyang, B. & S., March 14.
Sandviken, Jardine's, March 15.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, March 15.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 19.
Hellas, Thoresen's, March 19.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, March 20.

Wellswell.

Huichow, B. & S., March 6.
Kueichow, B. & S., March 9.

EASTWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Baltimore.

Lassiebank, Bank Line, March 9.
Glaucus, B. & S., March 9.

Boston and New York.

Silverteak, Furness, March 7.
Lassiebank, Bank Line, March 9.
Glaucus, B. & S., March 9.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, March 17.
Chinese Prince, Furness, March 20.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 20.
Adrastrus, B. & S., March 29.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, April 12.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 28.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.

Halifax.

Silverteak, Furness, March 7.
Chinese Prince, Furness, March 20.

Honolulu.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 10.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Taigo Maru, N.Y.K., March 24.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 20.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, April 12.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Los Angeles.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 10.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, March 17.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Taigo Maru, N.Y.K., March 24.
Cornville, Bank Line, March 24.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 20.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, April 12.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 28.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.

Panama.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 10.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, March 17.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 20.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, April 12.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 28.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.

Philadelphia.

Glaucus, B. & S., March 11.

Portland.

Selandia, Manners', March 12.
Cornville, Bank Line, March 24.

Puget Sound.

Cornville, Bank Line, March 24.

San Francisco.

Selandia, Manners', March 12.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, March 17.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Taigo Maru, N.Y.K., March 24.
Cornville, Bank Line, March 24.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 20.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, April 12.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 28.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.

Seattle.

Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Selandia, Manners', March 12.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Mar. 18.
Tyndareus, B. & S., March 30.
Pres. Taft, Am. Line, April 1.
Pres. Jefferson, Am. Line, April 15.
Protislaus, B. & S., April 20.
Pres. Madison, Dollar's, April 29.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.

Vancouver, B.C.

Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Selandia, Manners', March 12.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Tyndareus, B. & S., March 30.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., April 7.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Lahn, Melchers', April 7.
Protislaus, B. & S., April 20.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., May 5.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Victoria, B.C.

Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Mar. 18.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Pres. Taft, Am. Line, April 1.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., April 7.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Pres. Madison, Dollar's, April 29.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., May 5.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

SOUTHWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.

Tai Ping, B. & S., March 17.
Asuta Maru, N.Y.K., March 25.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., April 1.
Change, B. & S., April 18.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., April 22.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., May 2.
Tai Ping, B. & S., May 19.

Bangkok.

Hellas, Thoresen's, March 12.
Kalgan, B. & S., March 12.
Hellas, Thoresen's, March 19.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, March 20.

Batavia.

Tjisalek, J.C.J. Line, March 14.
Adrastrus, B. & S., March 29.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.

Belawan (Deli).

Adrastrus, B. & S., March 29.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.

Haiphong.

Kingyuan, B. & S., March 10.
Sikiang, Messageries', Mar. 14/20.

Hothow.

Kingyuan, B. & S., March 10.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, March 7.

Madang.

Friderun, Melchers', March 9.

Manila.

Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 7.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, March 7.
Glaucus, B. & S., March 9.
Coblentz, Melchers', March 11.
Titan, B. & S., March 15.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 17.
Tai Ping, B. & S., March 17.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 21.
Neckar, Melchers', March 23.
Asuta Maru, N.Y.K., March 25.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, March 25.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.
Adrastrus, B. & S., March 29.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., March 30.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., April 1.
Jefferson, Am. Line, April 14.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Pres. Madison, Dollar's, April 29.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Cebu.

Franken, Melchers', March 6.
Coblentz, Melchers', March 12.
Neckar, Melchers', March 23.
Lahn, Melchers', April 7.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 26.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., May 2.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 12.
Elpenor, B. & S., May 14.
Tai Ping, B. & S., May 19.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., May 24.

Now Guinea.

Friderun, Melchers', March 9.

Pakhol.

Kingyuan, B. & S., March 10.

Rabaul.

Friderun, Melchers', March 9.

Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., April 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., May 2.

Sandakan.

Hin Sang, Jardine's, March 8.

Mausang, Jardine's, March 22.

Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, March 7.

WESTWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.

Corfu, P. & O., March 11.
Porthos, Messageries', March 14.
Hector, B. & S., March 15.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 16.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Comorin, P. & O., March 25.
Aramis, Messageries', March 28.
Automedon, B. & S., March 29.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Ranpura, P. & O., April 8.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Apr. 11.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., April 15.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Athos II, Messageries', April 25.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Apr. 25.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', May 23.

Sikiang, Messageries', Mar. 14/20.

Glasgow.

Titan, B. & S., March 15.

Hector, B. & S., March 15.

Agamemnon, B. & S., April 24.

Aeneas, B. & S., April 11.

Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.

Elpenor, B. & S., May 14.

Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.

Canton, Gilman's, May 5.

Franken, Melchers', March 6.

Burgeland, Jensen's, March 7.

Coblentz, Melchers', March 12.

Malaya, Manners', March 15.

Friesland, Jensen's, March 18.

Calchos, B. & S., March 22.

Chile, Manners', March 24.

Neckar, Melchers', March 23.

Automedon, B. & S., March 29.

Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.

Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.

City of Manila, Bank Line, April 1.

Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.

Kulmerland, Jensen's, April 4.

Lahn, Melchers', April 7.

Searland, Jensen's, April 7.

Afrika, Manners', April 10.

Philoctetes, B. & S., April 19.

Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.

Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Asia, Manners', May 2.

Canton, Gilman's, May 5.

Franken, Melchers', March 6.

Burgeland, Jensen's, March 7.

Coblentz, Melchers', March 12.

Malaya, Manners', March 15.

Friesland, Jensen's, March 18.

Calchos, B. & S., March 22.

Chile, Manners', March 24.

Neckar, Melchers', March 23.

Automedon, B. & S., March 29.

Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.

Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.

City of Manila, Bank Line, April 1.

Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.

Kulmerland, Jensen's, April 4.

Lahn, Melchers', April 7.

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Calchos, B. & S., March 22.

Chile, Manners', March 24.

Neckar, Melchers', March 23.

Automedon, B. & S., March 29.

Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.

Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.

City of Manila, Bank Line, April 1.

Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.

Kulmerland, Jensen's, April 4.

Lahn, Melchers', April 7.

Searland, Jensen's, April 7.

Afrika, Manners', April 10.

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FOOCHOW, WUAIWAI	"KUEICHOW"	On 11th Mar., 5 p.m.
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AMOY, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"KANGHOU"	On 14th Mar., 8 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUNNING"	On 14th Mar., 10 a.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"KANGHOU"	On 15th Mar., 8 p.m.
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ROYAL OBSERVATORY'S DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

STATION	Local Time of Day	MARCH 4, 1933.					MARCH 5, 1933.				
		Barometer at Sea Level	Thermometer	Wind	Direction	Force	Barometer at Sea Level	Thermometer	Wind	Direction	Force
Wladivostok	12	30.18	76.5	...	W	2	30.32	75.7	...	WNW	2
Namuro	11	30.18	76.5	...	E	2	30.32	75.7	...	WNW	2
Hakodate	...	30.16	76.0	...	N	1	30.30	75.0	...	NW	1
Tokio	...	30.28	76.0	...	WSW	1	30.32	76.0	...	NW	1
Kobe	...	30.10	76.5	...	N	1	30.14	76.5	...	NNE	1
Nagasaki	...	30.08	76.5	...	N	0	30.02	76.5	...	NNE	1
Kagoshima	...	30.00	76.0	...	SE	1	30.02	76.0	...	N	3
Oshima	...	29.90	76.0	...	SE	0	29.96	76.0	...	N	5
Naha	...	29.94	76.0	...	E	1	29.98	76.0	...	SE	1
Ishigakijima	...	30.00	76.0	...	E	1	29.98	76.0	...	SE	1
Bonin Island	...	30.08	77.1	...	NNW	4	30.50	77.6	...	N	6
Chefoo	13	30.13	76.5	...	NNE	2	30.43	77.0	...	NNE	6
Shanghai	14	30.13	76.4	...	NE	2	30.42	77.2	...	NNE	6
Guntau	...	30.13	76.4	...	NE	2	30.31	76.9	...	NNE	6
Wenchow	...	29.94	76.0	...	NE	2	30.17	76.8	...	NE	2
Foochow	...	29.94	76.0	...	NE	2	30.08	76.2	...	ENE	4
Amoy	...	29.99	76.7	...	ESE	1	30.09	76.4	...	N	0
Swatow	11	30.02	76.2	...	N	2	30.02	76.2	...	N	2
Taihu	...	30.00	76.1	...	N	2	30.02	76.2	...	N	2
Taihu	...	29.96	76.1	...	N	2	29.96	76.0	...	NNE	4
Taiwan	...	29.93	76.0	...	NNW	4	29.92	76.0	...	NNE	4
Kashan	...	29.99	76.1	...	NNE	4	29.97	76.1	...	NNE	4
Pescadore	14	29.90	75.9	...	E	5	29.95	76.0	...	E	4
Gap Rock	...	29.90	75.9	...	ENE	4	29.93	76.0	...	ENE	4
Macao	...	29.87	76.8	...	SE	2	29.92	76.0	...	ENE	2
Hohow	...	29.88	76.9	...	SE	2	29.95	76.7	...	ENE	4
Pratas Island	...	29.90	75.9	...	ESE	2	29.95	76.0	...	ENE	4
Philien	15	29.92	75.7	...	S	1	29.98	75.8	...	ESE	5
Tourane	...	29.80	75.0	...	E	3	...	...	...	...	...
Cape St. James	...	29.84	75.7	...	E	5	...	...	...	...	...
Baco	14	29.83	75.7	...	SE	2	29.89	75.9	...	N	0
Apurri	...	29.80	75.6	...	NE	4	29.83	75.9	...	N	0
Tuguegarao	...	29.82	75.7	...	WSW	4	29.84	75.7	...	NW	2
Vigan	...	29.81	75.7	...	W	2	29.86	75.8	...	N	0
Manila	...	29.79	75.6	...	ENE	2	29.85	75.8	...	N	0
Lepas	...	29.78	75.6	...	SW	4	29.86	75.8	...	N	0
Caboyog	...	29.77	75.6	...	NE	4	29.83	75.7	...	NE	2
Tacloban	...	29.78	75.6	...	NE	4	29.83	75.7	...	N	0
Rio	...	29.78	75.6	...	NE	4	29.83	75.7	...	N	0
Cebu	...	29.78	75.6	...	NE	4	29.83	75.7	...	N	0
Surigao	...	29.78	75.6	...	NE	4	29.83	75.7	...	N	0
Salpan	11.00	29.79	75.6	...	NE	4	29.80	75.7	...	N	0
Guam	12.22	29.79	75.6	...	NE	4	29.86	75.8	...	NE	4
Yap	11.00	29.79	75.6	...	NE	4	29.86	75.8	...	N	0
Pelau	...	29.85	75.8	...	NW	4	29.80	75.7	...	N	0
Labuan	14	29.85	75.8	...	NW	4	29.80	75.7	...	N	0

March 5d. 10A. 29m.—The anticyclone remains stationary to the north-west of Shanghai and continues to increase in intensity. Fresh to strong monsoon will prevail over the China coast, and moderate monsoon over the northern China Sea.

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.60 inch. Total since January 1, 0.66 inches, against an average of 8.41 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON MARCH 6.

A.—Shanghai to Turnabout ... N.E. winds, fresh to strong.
B.—Turnabout to Hong Kong ... N.E. winds, fresh; cloudy with drizzle or mist.
C.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock ... N.E. winds, fresh; cloudy with drizzle or mist.
D.—Hong Kong to Hainan Straits ... N.E. winds, moderate to fresh.
E.—North China Sea ... N.E. winds, moderate to fresh.

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ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG.

(Continued from Page 13)

Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., April 15.

Philoctetes, B. & S., April 19.

Chitral, P. & O., April 22.

Athos II, Messageries, April 25.

Deucalion, B. & S., April 28.

Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Asia, Manners, May 2.

Canton, Gilman's, May 5.

Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.

D'Artagnan, Messageries, May 9.

Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.

Carthage, P. & O., May 20.

Andre Lebon, Messageries, May 23.

Agamemnon, B. & S., May 24.

Soudan, P. & O., May 27.

Bangkok.

Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., March 8.

Tilawa, B. I. (Apar), March 12.

Rotterdam.

Franken, Melchers, March 8.

Burgenland, March 7.

Coblentz, Melchers, March 12.

Hector, B. & S., March 15.

Malaya, Manners, March 15.

Friesland, March 18.

Hakosaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.

Calchas, B. & S., March 22.

Neckar, Melchers, March 23.

Chile, Manners, March 24.

Aramis, Messageries, March 28.

Automedon, B. & S., March 29.

Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.

Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.

City of Manila, Bank Line, April 1.

Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.

Kulmerland, March 31.

Lahn, Melchers, April 7.

Saarland, March 31.

Africa, Manners, April 10.

Aeneas, B. & S., April 11.

Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., April 15.

Philoctetes, B. & S., April 19.

Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Asia, Manners, May 2.

Canton, Gilman's, May 5.

Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.

Agamemnon, B. & S., May 24.

Soudan, P. & O., May 27.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports.

Malaya, Manners, March 15.

Chile, Manners, March 24.

Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.

Africa, Manners, April 10.

Asia, Manners, May 2.

Canton, Gilman's, May 5.

Singapore.

Franken, Melchers, March 8.

Kidderpore, P. & O., March 8.

Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., March 8.

Glaucus, B. & S., March 9.

Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., March 11.

Corfu, P. & O., March 11.

Coblentz, Melchers, March 12.

Tilawa, B. I. (Apar), March 12.

Kutawang, Jardine's, March 12.

Tilawa, B. I. (Apar), March 14.

Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.

Hector, B. & S., March 15.

Titan, B. & S., March 15.

Malaya, Manners, March 15.

Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.

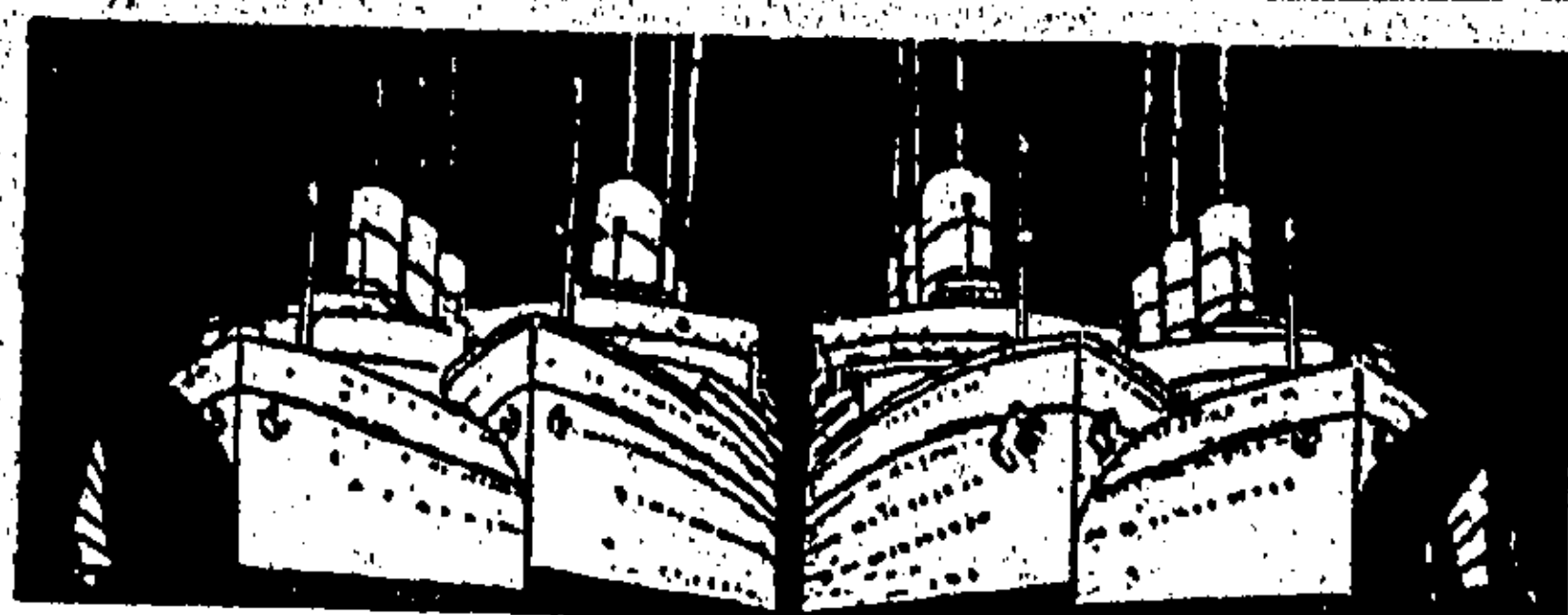
Tottori Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.

Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 16.

Hakosaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.

Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 18.

Talma, B. I. (Apar), March 19.



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Emp. of Canada ... Mar. 24	Mar. 27	Mar. 29	Mar. 31	Apr. 2	Apr. 4	Apr. 6
Emp. of Russia ... Apr. 7	Apr. 11	Apr. 13	Apr. 15	Apr. 17	Apr. 19	Apr. 21
Emp. of Japan ... Apr. 21	Apr. 24	Apr. 26	Apr. 28	Apr. 30	May 2	May 4
Emp. of Asia ... May 5	May 8	May 10	May 12	May 14	May 16	May 18
Emp. of Canada ... May 19	May 22	May 24	May 26	May 28	May 30	June 1
Emp. of Russia ... June 2	June 5	June 7	June 9	June 11	June 13	June 15
Emp. of Japan ... June 16	June 18	June 20	June 22	June 24	June 26	June 28
Emp. of Asia ... July 3	July 5	July 7	July 9	July 11	July 13	July 15
Emp. of Canada ... July 16	July 18	July 20	July 22	July 24	July 26	July 28
Emp. of Russia ... July 31	Aug. 3	Aug. 5	Aug. 7	Aug. 9	Aug. 11	Aug. 13
Emp. of Japan ... Aug. 16	Aug. 18	Aug. 20	Aug. 22	Aug. 24	Aug. 26	Aug. 28
Emp. of Asia ... Aug. 31	Sept. 3	Sept. 5	Sept. 7	Sept. 9	Sept. 11	Sept. 13
Emp. of Canada ... Sept. 16	Sept. 18	Sept. 20	Sept. 22	Sept. 24	Sept. 26	Sept. 28
Emp. of Russia ... Sept. 31	Oct. 3	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Oct. 9	Oct. 11	Oct. 13

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CHICHIBU MARU ... Wednesday, 12th April

SEATTLE & VANCOUVER.

HEIAN MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 13th March
HIKAWA MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 27th March

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM
via Singapore, Penang, Colombo & Suez.

HAZAKI MARU ... Saturday, 18th March
TERUKUNI MARU ... Friday, 31st March
HAKUNAN MARU ... Saturday, 15th April

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Port.

ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 25th March
KAMO MARU ... Saturday, 22nd April

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.

KAGA MARU ... Saturday, 11th March
TOYOTA MARU ... Wednesday, 15th March

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu.

Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

HEIYO MARU ... Friday, 10th March

NEW YORK, BOSTON via PANAMA

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus.

Genoa & Valencia.

LYONS MARU ... Tuesday, 14th March

VALOUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.

BENGAL MARU ... Wednesday, 8th March

YAMAGATA MARU ... Wednesday, 15th March

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

MORIOKA MARU ... Wednesday, 8th March

HAKODATE MARU ... Wednesday, 8th March

HARUNA MARU (Nagasaki direct) ... Friday, 17th March

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DARTAGNAN ... 9th May

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Shipping News

Week-End Statement. Waterfront News.

WEEK-END CARGO RETURNS

During the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday a total of 13 ships brought 7,880 tons of cargo to the Colony, and carried 20,788 tons for through ports. These ships brought 1,825 Asiatic deck passengers to Hong Kong. During the period under review 18 ships left the Colony.

During the 24 hours ended on Saturday a total of 18 ships brought 12,423 tons of cargo to the Colony, and carried 18,033 tons for through ports. These ships brought 1,145 Asiatic deck passengers to Hong Kong. During the period under review 14 ships left the Colony.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant ships were in harbour yesterday:

Wharves.

Kowloon:—Kulmerland, Naakin, and General Lee.

Holt's:—City of Khios and Aeneas.

Socony:—Laichikok:—Rowena. China Merchants:—Taipocock. O.S.K.:—Hozan Maru. Douglas:—Hatching and Svale.

Docks.

Kowloon:—Empress of Asia, Limchow, Mindanao, and Kutsang.

Taikoo:—Adrastra, Tainan, Anshun, Glaucus, Kingyuan, and Kan-chow.

Cosmopolitan:—Scaloria.

Buoys.

No. A3.—Tantula.
No. A5.—Rio de Janeiro Maru.
No. A7.—Hilda.
No. A9.—Sydney Maru.
No. A10.—Capt. St. Francis.
No. A11.—Nishio Maru.
No. B1.—Norviken.
No. B3.—Keying.
No. B4.—Apocoy.
No. B5.—Lungshan.
No. B6.—Haisang.
No. B8.—Marly.
No. B9.—Havdrot.
No. B10.—Helikon.
No. B11.—Promise.
No. B12.—Fridorun.
No. B16.—Chungking.
No. B17.—Taiyuan.
No. B22.—Hinseng.
No. B25.—Baron Saltoun.
No. C1.—Hiram.
No. C2.—Hai Hing.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following warships were in port yesterday:

Basin.—Tamar.

South Wall.—Bridgewater.

East Wall.—Falmouth, Seawar.

North Arm.—Kent, Witch, and Wishart.

West Wall.—Hermes.

Dock.—Herald, Odin and Otus.

No. 3 Buoy.—Cornwall.

No. 6 Buoy.—Suffolk.

No. 7 Buoy.—Folkestone.

No. 9 Buoy.—Kempell.

No. 11 Buoy.—Whitehall, Wild Swan.

No. 12 Buoy.—Wren.

Foreign.—U.S. river gunboat Mindanao.

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, March 4.

Previous Day at 4 p.m.

On Date at 10 a.m.

On Date at 4 p.m.

Barometer... 29.91 29.99 29.93

Temperature... 63 63 62

Humidity... 79 79 86

Wind... Direction E E E

Force... 4 5 4

Weather... O O O

Rain... 0.6 0.0 0.0

Highest open-air Temperature, 3.63

Lowest open-air Temperature, 4.69

B.—Blue sky; O.—Cloudy; D.—Drizzle; F.—Fog; L.—Lightning; M.—Mist; O.—Overcast; P.—Passing Showers; Q.—Squalls; R.—Rain; T.—Thunder.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From March 6, to 12 1933.

HIGH WATER. LOW WATER.

Days of Week.

Days of Month.

Hong Kong Standard Time.

Height.

Mon. 6 h. m. f. m. h. m. f. m.

Tues. 7 12 37 6 7 00 56 1 7

Wed. 8 17 20 6 0 01 35 1 3

Thur. 9 18 46 6 4 08 08 1 0

Fri. 10 18 24 6 9 12 53 0 7

Sat. 11 18 42 6 3 02 20 0 7

Sun. 12 18 10 6 2 04 44 0 7

Mon. 13 17 38 6 1 15 15 0 3

ARRIVALS.

March 3.

Wing Wo, Portuguese str., 485 tons, Capt. I. D. de Lemos, from K.C. Wan, Saikong Wharf.—Wo Hop & Co.

March 4.

Apocoy, British str., 1,778 tons, Capt. C. Boyce, from Saigon, buoy No. B4.—Wo Fat Sing.

Asama Maru, Japanese str., 10,017 tons, Capt. G. Shimomiya, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.

Bestum, Norwegian str., 1,093 tons, Capt. L. Thorbjornsen, from Canton, C.M.S.N. Wharf.—O.M.S.N. & Co.

Chungking, British str., 1,310 tons, Capt. A. N. Taylor, from Canton, buoy No. B15.—B. & S.

Conte Verde, Italian str., 11,597 tons, Capt. Camelli, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—Doddwell & Co.

Deli Maru, Japanese str., 1,293 tons, Capt. E. Sanada, from Swatow, Yaumati Anchorage.—O.S.K.

Hai Hing, Norwegian str., 1,445 tons, Capt. O. S. Olsen, from Swatow, buoy No. C2.—Thoresen & Co.

Hai Shang, Chinese str., 2,051 tons, Capt. A. Spranger, from Bangkok, buoy No. B6.—K. Larsen & Co.

Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Capt. P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chin On Wharf.—Chiu On & Co.

Nankin, British str., 3,448 tons, Capt. M. B. Skinner, from Melbourne, Kowloon Wharf.—M.M. & Co.

Norviken, Norwegian str., 1,779 tons, Capt. E. Jensen, from Canton, buoy No. B1.—J.M. & Co.

Rio de Janeiro Maru, Japanese str., 8,849 tons, Capt. T. Nishimura, from Kobe, buoy No. A8.—O.S.K.

Sinkiang, British str., 1,616 tons, Capt. J. S. G. Brown, from Swatow, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.

Sumatra Maru, Japanese str., 4,372 tons, Capt. G. Shimura, from Sakito, Stonecutters' Anchorage.—O.S.K.

Tai Yuan, British str., 2,100 tons, Capt. P. K. Clark, from Amoy, buoy No. B17.—B. & S.

Ying Chow, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. O. Harris-Walker, from Canton, buoy No. B14.—B. & S.

March 5.

Aeneas, British str., 6,256 tons, Capt. W. K. Wallace, from Singapore, Holt's Wharf.—B. & S.

General Lee, American str., 2,732 tons, Capt. A. D. Hensen, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—States S.S. Co.

Hai Ning, British str., 832 tons, Capt. E. Walker, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Hilda, Italian str., 2,974 tons, Capt. B. Tarabochia, from Yokohama, buoy No. A7.—Doddwell & Co.

Kalgan, British str., 1,556 tons, Capt. J. Taylor, from Swatow, buoy No. B14.—B. & S.

Kulmerland, German str., 4,367 tons, Capt. Kuthert, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Jehsen & Co.

Kum Sang, British str., 3,341 tons, Capt. Field-Hook, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—J.M. & Co.

Prosper, Norwegian str., 1,377 tons, Capt. E. D. Knutsen, from Saigon, buoy No. B18.—Yuen On & Co.

Shantung, British str., 1,568 tons, Capt. J. Beck, from Canton, Taikoo Dock.—B. & S.

Tinegara, Dutch str., 5,783 tons, Capt. P. Weide, from Amoy, buoy No. A4.—J.O.J.L.

CLEARANCES

March 4.

Fushimi Maru, for Singapore. Piza Harrison, for Manila. Pres. Madison, for Shanghai. Shun Fong, for Hong Kong. Somali, for Singapore.

Yingchow, for Hoihow.

Daiboshi Maru, for Port Wallut.

Sumatra Maru, for Singapore.

Conte Verde, for Shanghai.

Foo Lee, for Whampoa.

Tinhow, for Singapore.

Graciosa, for Sourabaya.

March 5.

Changchow, for Canton. Tokeam, for Hoihow. Bestum, for Swatow.

Hozan Maru, for Swatow.

Deli Maru, for Canton.

Kaying, for Swatow.

Sinkiang, for Canton.

Kwai Sang, for Swatow.

Baron Saltoun, for Whampoa.

Himachal Pradesh, for Hoihow.

Chungking, for Singapore.

Swale, for Swatow.

General Lee, for Manila.

Rio de Janeiro, for Saigon.

Helikon, for Saigon.

Hilda, for Singapore.

WORLD'S LARGEST LINER.

CUNARD 75,000 GROSS TONNAGE

Olydebank's Cunarder has not been much in the news of late, but it is possible that this great ship may yet give the world a surprise. Since the launch last year of the French liner Normandie most people have had the idea that the Cunarder could no longer be described as the world's largest liner, but expert circles take a different view of the matter. It is well known that when completed the Cunarder's gross tonnage will be round about 73,000, and when the French liner was launched it was widely stated that she would go one better than the British ship and have a gross tonnage of 75,000. But, according to the latest measurements, the Normandie is described as a vessel of 68,000 tons gross—5,000 tons below the projected dimensions of the Cunarder. So that when the Cunarder is completed she may give Britain the distinction of having the world's largest liner.

Modifications in Design.

With ships of these huge dimensions it is not possible to state precisely what the gross tonnage will be when the vessels are completed, and frequently the final measurements differ considerably from the figures given at an early stage of construction. These variations are brought about by modifications in the design, and a comparatively small alteration on a large ship may vary the gross figure by a thousand or two tons. The Normandie is in a fairly advanced stage of construction, and it is not likely that her gross tonnage will differ much from the figure given by Lloyd's Register in their annual return—68,000. It is also possible that the Cunarder's horse-power will exceed that of the French ship.

FRANCE'S SUPER-CRUISER

Paris—Work has begun on the super-cruiser Dunkerque at Brest, according to an announcement by the French Ministry of Marine.

The Dunkerque is a vessel of 29,500 tons, and is intended as a reply to Germany's "pocket battleship," the Deutschland, which is of 10,000 tons, has a speed of 28 knots, and is armed with six 11-inch guns, throwing a broadside of 4,020 lb.

The Dunkerque will have a speed of 31 knots, will have nine 13-inch guns, throwing a broadside of 10,600 lb., and will displace 26,500 tons.

It has been admitted officially in France that this super-cruiser is a reply to the new German warship, the construction of which at the time caused considerable perturbation in naval circles in all parts of the world.

The Dunkerque will not be in service before 1936.

BOTTLE FLOATS 4,500 MILES

The currents in the North Pacific Ocean have brought a bottle from the coast of Japan to Vancouver Island more than 4,500 miles away, in the space of two years and ten days.

The bottle, states Reuter, belongs to the United States Hydrographic office. It bears a note giving the date and place where it was tossed into the ocean.

SHIPPING MOVEMENT.

